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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Cloudy and warmer today; rain tonight and tomorrow.
Temperature Yesterday—Max. 47; Min. 30.
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DR. PARKS DECLARES HE DEFIED NEITHER CREED NOR BISHOP

Dogma in Sermon, He Says, Is Same as He Has Preached for Thirty Years.

PROMPTED BY PASTORAL

Admits That if There Had Been No Such Letter There Would Have Been No Such Sermon.

NO WORD FROM DR. MANNING

Dr. Tyson, Spokesman for Modernists, Says That Bishop Cannot Charge Dr. Parks With Heresy.

The Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks, rector of St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal Church, whose liberal sermon last Sunday brought to a head the controversy between Episcopal Modernists and Fundamentalists, said yesterday in the first interview he has given since the sermon that he had not denied the virgin birth and had not defied Bishop William T. Manning of the Diocese of New York.

Following as it did the statement made on Tuesday by the Rev. William M. Gilbert, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Yonkers, who is a close personal friend of Bishop Manning and a member of the Standing Committee of the New York Diocese, to the effect that Bishop Manning did not have sufficient grounds on which to try Dr. Parks for heresy, yesterday's statement by the rector of St. Bartholomew's was regarded as an attempt to clear the air and avert further discord in the Church.

Bishop Manning and Dr. Parks both evaded questions yesterday as to whether the Bishop had summoned the rector before him, or had sent any communication to Dr. Parks regarding last Sunday's sermon. The Bishop declined to say whether he had or had not taken this action, and in reply to a question whether he had received any communication from the Bishop regarding his sermon, Dr. Parks said that it would be "improper" for him to answer.

Dr. Parks Printing His Sermon.

When asked for a statement Dr. Parks, who was in his office at St. Bartholomew's Church, said:

"The sermon which was preached here last Sunday morning is now in the printer's hand and will be distributed in the church next Sunday, so that anybody who would like to see what I really said can obtain a copy by applying at the church. It will be printed just as it was preached, except that a certain amount of material has been added to make it clearer."

Dr. Parks was asked if his words were to be interpreted as a statement that his sermon had been misquoted.

"Well, some of the newspaper headlines were greatly to be regretted," he replied. "One of the papers said that I flouted the virgin birth, which would be a shocking thing to do. Another paper said that I had defied the Bishop, which would be a disloyal thing to do. I don't know who was responsible, but this was very unfortunate."

The rector was then asked to repeat exactly what he did say in his sermon.

"You'll find it all in the printed sermon, just as I said it," he replied. "I don't intend to repeat it again now."

Dr. Parks added that he had said nothing about questions of dogma in his sermon on Sunday that he had not been preaching for the last thirty years. Asked to explain his action in divesting himself of his priestly robes and appearing in the pulpit in an academic gown, Dr. Parks went on:

Spoke as Doctor of Theology.

"It used to be a custom in all Episcopal churches for the minister, having read the service in the surplice, to go into the pulpit in an academic gown. I simply reverted to that custom in order to remind the people that I came before them on that Sunday as a Doctor of Theology. It was as a Doctor of Theology that I appeared because of the subject, which was not an ordinary sermon, but a lecture on theology."

Dr. Parks was asked whether his sermon was part of a concerted campaign by Modernist churchmen to offset the action of the Bishops at Dallas, Texas, in adopting a pastoral letter calling for adherence to the doctrine of the virgin birth and physical resurrection, or to defeat the plans of the Fundamentalists to try the Rev. Lee W. Heaton of Fort Worth, Texas, for heresy.

"I am glad you asked me that question," Dr. Parks said, "because I want to say that I do not belong to the Modern Churchmen's Union or to any other association of the clergy and I consulted with no one in regard to what I should say in preaching this sermon. It represents nothing but what I myself have been teaching for the last thirty years."

Bishops' Letter Caused Sermon.

Questioned as to whether his motive in preaching the sermon was to protest against the Bishops' pastoral letter or to defend Dr. Heaton, Dr. Parks replied:

"The sermon would never have been preached had I not been required by the canon of the church to read the pastoral letter to my congregation."

Dr. Parks said that he had no idea that his sermon would cause the sensation it has and added that he deeply regretted the publicity that had resulted. "After having shunned the limelight for all my life," he said, "it hurts my eyes, physically and spiritually to be in it now."

When Bishop Manning was informed last night of Dr. Parks's statement, he repeated his previous refusal to affirm or deny that he had sent a communication to the rector about last Sunday's sermon. On Tuesday afternoon, when Bishop Manning attended the opening of Greer Court at 544 West 114th Street,

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EVERY MAN NEEDS GARTERS.
Give him the best—BOSTON GARTERS in beautiful Christmas boxes; cost no more. Department stores and men's wear shops have them.—Advt.

France Honors Radium Jubilee With a Pension to Mme. Curie

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—By a unanimous vote the Chamber of Deputies this evening marked the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the discovery of radium by Pierre Curie and his wife by according a pension of 40,000 francs a year to Mme. Curie and her children.

The vote is intended to assure to Mme. Curie and her daughters, who are without a fortune, a future which will be at least free from anxiety.

MEXICAN FEDERALS RETIRE ON CAPITAL

New Base Set Up at Irolo, 35 Miles From Mexico City, Vera Cruz Announces.

12,000 IN REBEL FORCES

6,000 Taking Part in Advance —Revolutionists Say They Expect No More Resistance.

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—Revolutionary headquarters here announces a retreat of the Obregon forces from Apizaco.

The new line of defense of the Federal forces now runs from Munoz (about six miles west of Apizaco), with the base of operations at Irolo Station, about thirty-five miles northeast of Mexico City.

The retreat of the Federal forces was caused by the rebel troops of General Maycotte proceeding from Puebla and renewing the attack on Apizaco, flanking the Obregonists.

The forces which attacked Apizaco are the same as those which on Sunday came to the rescue of the rebels at San Marcos, but arrived there after the Obregonists had been routed from the railway junction town. The Maycotte forces then returned to Puebla to attack the flank of the Obregonists operating there.

Normal train and mail service is being maintained between Vera Cruz and Puebla and all the other territory in the hands of the rebels, according to revolutionary headquarters.

For the first time the newspaper correspondents with the rebels mention the approximate strength of the rebels advancing on Mexico City. They assert that the figures they give have been confirmed by them. Six thousand men have their base at Puebla under Generals Villareal and Maycotte, and another 6,000 are in the two columns advancing from Vera Cruz. The united forces already have taken up the advance on Mexico City and are leaving garrisons at various points to protect their rear."

According to the correspondents, it is the opinion of the revolutionists that the Federal forces will not resist their advance, but will continue to retreat along the Mexican Railway, destroying the line so as to retard the advance of the de la Huerta troops.

Rebel Reinforcements Called Up.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18 via Laredo (delayed) (Associated Press).—The fate of the revolution is being decided upon the battlefield of San Marcos where, according to official statements, Federal troops under General Eugenio Martines engaged with the greatest force that the de la Huertista rebellion has been able to muster, under the command of General Pedro Gonzales.

General Guadalupe Sanches from Vera Cruz, and President Obregon from Mexico City, have taken general command of the operations of the opposing armies.

Wireless messages exchanged between Sanches and various rebel column commanders, which were intercepted at Chapultepec Station, indicated that Adolfo de la Huerta was making a desperate effort to recapture San Marcos, which General Martines occupied virtually without opposition on Monday morning.

General Cesario Castro, commanding the forces which occupied Puebla after its evacuation by the Federals under General Almazan on Friday, was instructed to send all available troops to co-operate in the San Marcos engagement. The messages likewise informed General Gonzales that General Maycotte had announced that he was sending two contingents from the Oaxaca district and that reinforcements had been

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FLORIDA WEST COAST LIMITED, Train De Luxe, 3:40 P. M. First all Pullman Train ever operated to West Coast of Florida. Penn-Seaboard, 143 W. 42nd St.—Advt.

"DON'T CALL IT LOVE," says Rita Coventry—Elaito Theatre, Sunday.—Advt.

BONUS SIDETRACKED IN HOUSE COMMITTEE; MELLON TELLS COST

Tax Reform Measure Put Ahead for Consideration by Ways and Means Members.

BONUS TOTAL 5 BILLIONS

This Is Direct Cost as Estimated by Treasury Experts for Secretary.

NO CUT OF TAXES IN YEARS

Committee Deadlock Continues in Senate and Goes Over Until After the Holidays.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Tax revision won the first fight with the bonus bill today, when the House Committee on Ways and Means decided to consider first the Administration features of the Mellon tax plan and to take up afterward the question of reporting out a soldier bonus bill. Republicans on the committee will ask all the members of their party in the House to settle, at a conference to be held after the holidays, whether a bonus measure shall be reported at all.

Today's decision was reached by a vote of 15 to 8 in the first meeting the Ways and Means Committee has held. Representatives Garner and Collier, Democrat joined with thirteen Republicans in putting the administrative sections of the tax bill ahead of the bonus question; Representative Frear, Radical, joined seven Democrats in asking precedence for the adjusted compensation measure. The thirteen Republicans were Messrs. Green, Hawley, Young, Hadley, Timberlake, Watson, Chindblom, McLaughlin, Crowther, Kearns, Tilson, Treadway and Mills. The seven Democrats were Messrs. Oldfield, Garew, Martin, Hull, Rainey, Dickinson and Crisp. Committeemen Bacharach, Republican, and Tague and Casey, Democrats, were absent.

Secretary Mellon gave the bonus another hard blow today when he sent a letter to Representative Andrew answering the latter's query as to whether Treasury experts had revised their estimates as to the cost of the bonus. Mr. Mellon declared that the direct cost of the bill, if it was the same measure vetoed by President Harding, would reach $5,400,526,444. The average for the first four years, he asserted, would be $225,000,000. Then the Secretary added that if the bonus bill passed it probably would prevent "any reduction of Federal taxes on a comprehensive plan in this generation."

There seems to be no doubt at this time that the Republican conference, which probably will be held about Jan. 8, will be very largely for a bonus, especially as many of the soldier bloc in the House are counted in the Republican ranks. If this comes true, the Ways and Means Committee will begin consideration of the bonus bill some time near Jan. 15.

Committee Defeats Counter-Proposal.

The action of the committee in taking up the administrative section at once was not accomplished without a protest. When Representative Hawley of Oregon made the motion Representative Frear moved as a substitute that bonus legislation be dealt with immediately. This was defeated, as were motions by Mr. Oldfield to take up the bonus Jan. 4 and Jan. 15; by Mr. Carew to handle it by Jan. 10, and by Mr. Dickinson to report it to the House not later than Feb. 10. The Hawley motion then was agreed to.

Accusations were made in the committee that the Republicans were trying to defer consideration of the bonus until sentiment in the country could be brought to bear to force bonus men to switch in their attitude. Democrats warned the majority that if speedy action was not taken on the bill the soldier bloc would carry out its threat to call a conference and demand that it be reported out. Chairman Green is said to have admitted this possibility.

When told of the charges made that delay was intended so that the reaction of the country toward the bonus might be sounded, Mr. Green declined to comment. Nor would he reply to the statement that he and other friends of the Mellon program wanted time so that bonus advocates might be subject to pressure, except to say that not all rumors deserved credence.

Copies of the Treasury bill were handed to members after the morning meet-

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Diphtheria Kills Child Under Chiropractor; Physician Called Too Late; Inquiry Starts

On the ground that a six-year-old Brooklyn child was under chiropractic treatment until forty-five minutes before her death of diphtheria, when it was too late for antitoxin to help, the Health Department yesterday asked District Attorney Dodd of Kings County to investigate the handling of the case by Dr. Ernest Meyer of 458 Seventy-seventh Street, Brooklyn. Dr. Meyer, who is alleged to have given chiropractic treatment to the child, Caroline Germuth of 450 Forty-first Street, refused to comment on the case.

The authorities became interested when Dr. G. C. L. Dance of 449 Forty-first Street, called in when the little girl was dying, refused to issue a death certificate until the Health Department had consented. When the certificate was issued it was discovered that although Caroline had been stricken on Wednesday and lived until Sunday night, no contagious disease report had been filed, as the law requires.

Both Dr. Dance and the Medical Examiner's office have reported that, in their belief, the child's life might have been saved had antitoxin been administered even as late as last Friday.

Dr. Charles Norris, Chief Medical Examiner, and an assistant, Dr. J. L. Moench, performed an autopsy when Dr. Dance reported the case. This confirmed the diagnosis of diptheria and led the experts to believe that medical treatment might have saved Caroline.

"When Dr. Dance was called in, the child was beyond help," reported Dr. Moench. "We found the child had been under chiropractic treatment by Dr. Meyer."

Assistant District Attorney George Palmer began an investigation.

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An Indian Canoe, Perhaps 1,000 Years Old, Unearthed by Dredge in Witteck Lake, N. J.

Cedar bottoms, centuries old, from sunken canoes attributed to the ancient Ramapo Indians have been unearthed by dredgers from the bottom of Witteck Lake near Butler, N. J., it was learned yesterday.

Foster H. Saville, of the Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation, accepted their authenticity pending further research on resumption of dredging there next Spring. He said the parts he had examined were typical of two complete Ramapo dugouts, one of which was on exhibition at the Broadway and 155th Street museum and the other at Hackensack. He was unable to determine as yet whether the relics were of a Colonial period or dated back 700 to 1,000 years, as might easily be.

Only one of the three canoe bottoms was intact, the other two being incomplete. On all three the sides and inner structure had disappeared save for suggestion of attachments. Prof. Saville commented upon the excellent preservation of the cedar used by the boat builders and believed that the fragments had been virtually embalmed in hermetic peat ever since submersion. Witteck Lake, he described, had originally been about fifty acres in size but had been flooded to much greater expanse upon construction of a dam. Pressure of the augmented volume of water had seemed to "bring up" the old lake bottom, forming a "floating island," he said. It was this freak formation that had proved to be the sarcophagus yielding the all but forgotten story of the vanished Ramapos. The lake is in the New Jersey peat belt.

Prof. Saville added that the cedar of which the canoe bottoms were made was now an extinct variety, not having appeared in New Jersey flora since long before the time of the white man.

The Ramapos, a branch of the Hackensack Indians, who in turn were of the councils of the Delawares, according to the ethnologist, flourished in the earlier cycles of the redmen. They were natural boatmen, it was believed, and the quiet waters of Witteck Lake might have been one of many waters they frequented in the circuit of their portages. Their crude craft furnished them with facilities for fishing, hunting and transportation.

TURKS SEEK TO ANNUL THE CHESTER GRANT

File Notice of Cancellation, Though Default Is Denied by Stockholders Here.

BRITISH GROUP MAY GET IT

Organization of £5,000,000 Syndicate Announced After Failure to Raise Capital Here.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A telegram from Angora received in Constantinople states that the Commissioner of Works yesterday notified the agent of Colonel Clayton-Kennedy of the annulment of the Chester concession for Anatolian development, says a Reuter dispatch from Constantinople this afternoon.

Formation of a syndicate by London banking houses, with a capital of £5,000,000, to which control of the Chester concessions in Turkey eventually may pass, was announced here last night by Horace G. Knowles, counsel for the Ottoman-American Development Company, which has held the concessions. Expressing the belief that only one section of the concessions had been lost to American interests, Mr. Knowles, in commenting on dispatches from abroad reporting their annulment, said that the London syndicate had been formed primarily to develop the first project which had been abandoned by the Ottoman-American Company. Failure to obtain capital in the United States, he said, might give it the controlling interest in the entire concession.

Officials of the Ottoman-American Development Company denied the report from Constantinople that the Chester concession for the development of mineral and oil lands in Anatolia had been annulled. Henry Woodhouse, as the committee of one designated by stockholders at the annual meeting here on Sept. 26 to make a study of the terms of the concession and the plans for meeting these terms, declared that the concession, which is made up of fifteen parts, could not have been canceled without six months' notice being given and the matter being finally ratified by the Turkish Parliament. No such notice had been given by the Government of Mustapha Kemal.

"We have had numerous reports of this kind," said Mr. Woodhouse, "the result, doubtless, of the propaganda that is still being spread with regard to the Chester concession. Today's report is absolutely untrue.

"There has been no default in connection with any of the concessions. On Oct. 4 the Ottoman-American Development Company filed notice with the Kemal Government of its intention to abandon the construction of the Samsun and Sivas Railroad unless the Government were willing to extend the time. We have the right to abandon any of the fifteen concessions if they are found, after study and engineering survey, to be worthless for purposes of development. We conduct the surveys first, then decide if we shall develop any part of the concession. There is nothing we could default on."

Mr. Woodhouse said that Colonel Clayton-Kennedy, who clinched the concession for the Ottoman-American Development Company, was now in Turkey for the company.

Colby M. Chester Jr., who was Treasurer of the company until leaving it last Spring, said when the dispatch was read to him over the telephone that he knew nothing about it, but that if true the annulment of the concession was "not surprising." He indicated that the group headed by Charles A. Barnard, the Canadian banker, had not been successful in financing the preliminary development work and that this might have been responsible for the reported cancellation of the concessions.

GOOD ACTING WINS PARDON.

W. A. Reeves Freed Because of Talent Shown in Sing Sing Comedy.

Special to The New York Times.

OSSINING, Dec. 19.—Because W. A. Reeves, a British veteran of the World War, proved to be a good actor in the recent musical comedy given in Sing Sing to the outside public, the State Board of Parole, which had refused to release him last month, decided today to set him free. Warden Lewis E. Lawes, who liked the talent shown by Reeves in the prison show, was among those who urged his release.

In the show Reeves played the role of a former Sing Sing prisoner who had just been released from prison and who, when tempted, not alone decided to reform himself but tried to reform other crooks. He has overstayed his minimum sentence for embezzlement of funds of his employer.

WHEN YOU THINK OF WRITING
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GREEK KING SAILS, ALMOST IN TEARS

His Queen, However, Encourages Her Weeping Ladies With Smiles as She Departs.

WARNING BY BRITISH ENVOY

Bentinck Notifies Premier of His Government's Deep Interest in the Monarch's Safety.

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ATHENS, Dec. 19.—The King and Queen left Greece for Kustendje, Rumania, at 4:30 this afternoon. Only about fifty people were present on the royal landing stage at Piraeus, from which a motor launch conveyed their Majesties to the steamer Daphne. These were mostly the King's aides de camp, members of the royal household and a few Greek and foreign journalists. Colonel Gonatas, the Prime Minister, was the only representative of the Revolutionary Government, and M. Jouvard, the Rumanian Minister, the only member of the diplomatic corps present.

The King said good-by and shook hands with everybody with a dignified expression, but when he entered the launch his efforts to restrain his tears were apparent. The Queen, who carried a cluster of white roses, smiled bravely throughout the farewells, whispering encouraging words to the weeping members of her household. When their Majesties reached the Daphne the royal standard was hoisted and a salute of twenty-one guns was fired.

Admiral Koundouriotis, who was Regent after the death of the King's brother, King Alexander, in 1920, will again be sworn in as Regent tomorrow.

In his reply to the Cabinet's invitation to leave the country King George pointed out that as he had carefully kept aloof from politics, his continued presence would not really influence the freedom of the Constituent Assembly. Nevertheless, he decided to leave the country temporarily with the Queen, expressing his "deep conviction and warmest wish that the judgment of the National Assembly of the Greek people will be guided by sentiments of love toward the fatherland and national interests."

Last night King George received C. H. Bentinck, the British Chargé d'Affaires, and other foreign diplomatic representatives, and Queen Elizabeth received a number of Athenian ladies in a farewell audience. One of the last acts of the King was to sign a decree promoting 700 army officers.

Today's newspapers announce that Mr. Bentinck expressed to the Prime Minister fears as to the King's safety. I learn that, while making it perfectly clear that there was no intention of interfering in any way in a question which was regarded as purely a matter of Greek domestic politics, Mr. Bentinck considered it his duty to make it known that his Government could not be indifferent in the matter of the personal safety of the King, a near relation of His Britannic Majesty. Mr. Bentinck, however, received full assurances that there was no cause for any anxiety on this point.

ATHENS, Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—King George, in accordance with his note to the Government that he would comply with its request to leave Greece, departed from the royal landing stage at Piraeus this afternoon in a naval launch to the Daphne, which will carry him and his party to Rumania. The launch was in midstream when the harbor forts fired a royal salute. The King was accompanied by Queen Elizabeth, the Marshal of the Court, M. Soutzo; Captain Roussen, a palace aid, and a guard of picked marines.

The only member of the diplomatic corps at the landing stage was the Rumanian Minister.

Prior to their departure the King and Queen had luncheon alone in the royal dining room of the palace. They devoted the entire morning to receiving farewells from notables and friends. Among the latter was a group of American women. The King and Queen offered thanks to them for their efforts on behalf of Greece. The diplomats of many countries having relations with Greece also went to the palace to bid the sovereigns adieu.

The official gazette publishes a decree appointing Admiral Koundouriotis Regent. He will take the oath before the Cabinet tomorrow.

The Government has informed the diplomatic representatives that the departure of the King and Queen is only temporary pending settlement by the Constituent Assembly of the question of the future Greek régime.

It is understood that a decree will be promulgated prescribing as a formula

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TO LOOK AND FEEL YOUR BEST—Bell-Ans after meals.—Advt.

HUGHES REVEALS NEW RED ORDERS FOR ACTION HERE

Zinovief Tells Workers' Party to Aim at Flying Red Flag on the White House.

CALLS FOR FIGHTING UNITS

Sections of Ten to Be Organized in All Great Industries and Taught to Shoot.

TCHITCHERIN SEES TROUBLE

He Says Hughes's Rebuff Comes When Britain Is Causing Difficulties Over Afghanistan.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Following his rebuff yesterday to the Russian Soviet plea for recognition here, Secretary Hughes today made public intercepted instructions from the Russian Communist leader Zinovief, to the Workers' Party of America to work for the "raising of the red flag over the White House."

Though no reference was made to his statement of yesterday, or to expressions of doubt by politicians that there was any evidence of Russian interference here, Secretary Hughes's action is taken to be an answer to just such assertions.

Senator Borah has been challenging the statement that the Soviet Government has been conducting propaganda of this sort, and other Senators, who, like Senator Borah, favor recognition of the Moscow Government, have declared that no proof has been or can be produced.

It is understood that the State Department is in position to furnish other documents, showing that those in control at Moscow have not given up their original purpose of destroying existing government whenever they can do so throughout the world. The fact, possessed by the State Department are understood to indicate that if the efforts of the Moscow régime in this direction have been lessened in intensity during the past year it has only been by the reduction of the cash resources at their disposal.

Secretary Hughes's Statement.

Following is the text of Secretary Hughes's announcement:

"The Department of State made public today the text of instructions given by Zinovief, President of the Communist International and President of the Petrograd Soviet, to the Workers' Party of America, the Communist organization in the United States.

"The Department of Justice has assured the Department of State of the authenticity of these instructions. The Communist International, with headquarters at Moscow, is the organ of the Communist Party for international propaganda. The Soviet régime in Russia is the organ of the Communist Party for the governing of Russia. As Steklov, member of the Russian Communist Party and of the All-Russian Central Executive Committee and editor of the Izvestia, official organ of the Soviet régime, has stated in his official paper:

"'The close organic and spiritual connection between the Soviet Republic and the Communist International can not be doubted. And even if this connection had not been admitted many times by both sides, it would be clear to everybody as an established fact. • • • This connection is not merely of a spiritual, but also of a material and palpable character. • • • The mutual solidarity of the Soviet republics and the Communist International is an accomplished fact. In the same degree as the existence and the stability of Soviet Russia are of importance to the Third International, the strengthening and the development of the Communist International is of great moment to Soviet Russia.'

Urges "Fighting Units."

"INSTRUCTIONS.

"The Communist International notes with great satisfaction that the work of the W. P. A. (Workers' Party of America) for the past year has been expressed in a satisfactory, broad and real revolutionary work. Particularly pleasing to us is the fact that all dissensions existing up to the present time in the ranks of the party have finally been liquidated and we hope that the W. P. A., the advanced guard of the revolutionary proletariat of the United States of North America, will now more successfully conduct its revolutionary

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Fight Stock Swindlers' Schemes by Radio; Methods Told and Warnings Sent Broadcast

Use of the radio as a weapon to combat stock swindles is being considered by the Better Business Bureau of New York, it was learned yesterday. Striking results have been obtained by the Union Trust Company of Cleveland by this method. The proposal will be considered today.

The plan, as now operated by the Cleveland company, depends largely for its success upon the alertness of the Cleveland Better Business Commission. This commission has advisers who watch men suspected of swindling schemes, and whenever these advisers run across the trail of a man or group who are contemplating a campaign to fleece unsuspecting investors, word is sent to the Union Trust Company. This company in turn prepares a "talk" on investment, in which it tells the story of the swindler, analyzes the fraud and broadcasts as complete a description as possible as to his method of approach, his argument and finally a description of the worthless security he is trying to sell. As a concluding touch, the broadcaster warns potential investors, "Before you invest, investigate."

The trust company reports that it has built up a regular clientels who "tune in" on Station WJAX, and hundreds of letters are received on the day following each "talk" asking for more complete information regarding propositions recently placed before them by fly-by-night salesmen. A number of swindling plans have in this way been exposed in the Ohio authorities which otherwise would not have been uncovered, according to the report of the Cleveland Better Business Commission.

BON AIR-VANDERBILT HOTEL,
AUGUSTA, Ga.—Spend the Christmas holidays there—Opens Dec. 26th.—Advt.

Butterflies in North Ontario Product of a Balmy December

TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Ontario is experiencing the warmest December on record. The temperature at noon today was 44. Sudbury reported 48 degrees at the same hour. Butterflies were seen in one northern town.

Usually at this season of the year the lakes and rivers are coated with thick ice and the ground covered with snow. There has been no ice formed this Winter and only flurries of snow have fallen.

Sudbury, in Northwestern Ontario, often experiences 40 below zero in early December.

JAY GOULD ESTATE SHRINKS $35,000,000

Court Ruling Reveals That Its Present Value Is Estimated at Only $50,468,295.

GEORGE'S SHARE TO HEIRS

First Wife's Children Get $562,871 Each—Same Sum Reserved for Those of Second.

Supreme Court Justice Davis, who in September heard an application in behalf of three children of George J. Gould, by his first wife, to compel the trustees of the estate of their grandfather, Jay Gould, to pay them the share left to them in his will, which they inherit as the result of the death of their father on May 16 last, handed down a decision yesterday granting the application. Each child will get $562,871.

Justice Davis, however, includes in his estimate of the amount that should be paid to the George J. Gould children, the claims of the three children by his second wife that they should share in the sixth interest in the Jay Gould estate left to their father for life, and then to go to his issue. The Court does not decide that they are entitled to share in the estate, but includes them in his calculation in order that no greater sum may be collected by the petitioners now than may be found later to be due them.

The decision makes it known that the present value of the Jay Gould estate is $50,468,295, which is the actual market value of the securities held by the executors and trustees as determined on Dec. 7 last. The net value on the basis calculated by Justice Davis is $35,524,097.

When Jay Gould died the value of the estate was about $85,000,000.

Children's Rights Upheld.

The application heard by Justice Davis was made by William A. W. Stewart, guardian for Gloria Gould Bishop, and by the trustees of deeds of trust made by Edith Gould Wainwright, and Jay Gould. All three are children of George J. Gould. In the case of the two latter children the application was made by the Commonwealth Trust Company of New Jersey and Schuyler Neilson Rice, who is one of the George J. Gould executors. The Court said: "There is no doubt that these three children of George J. Gould are entitled as remaindermen to possess some part of the principal of the fund constituting the trust for the benefit of their father during his life."

Justice Davis found that the difficulty presented was to determine whether it was practicable to make an order for a partial distribution at this time of the share in the Jay Gould estate, leaving in the possession of the trustees a sufficient amount to pay commissions, taxes and expenses in the accounting proceedings now being heard by Edward W. Hatch, as referee. The Court also stated that it was necessary to avoid deciding questions of fact and law now being tried before the referee.

Justice Davis did not pass on the right of the three children of George J. Gould by his second wife, who seek to share in the Jay Gould estate equally with the seven children by the first wife. Justice Davis also did not decide a claim of the estate of George J. Gould against the Jay Gould estate for $144,202.

Justice Davis said:

"But I have assumed, without deciding, that the three children of George J. Gould by his second wife share equally with the seven children by his first wife, in the remainder estate, assigning one-tenth thereof to each of the children. Also I have assumed, without deciding, that the executors of George J. Gould have a valid claim against the estate of Jay Gould for $144,202, one-sixth of which may be

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FORD FOR COOLIDGE; PRESIDENT SENDS HIM THANKS FOR SUPPORT

Manufacturer Declares That He Would Not Run Against the President on Any Ticket.

SEES NO NEED OF A CHANGE

His Name Is Put on Michigan Primary Ticket, but Is Expected to Be Dropped.

WASHINGTON IS IMPRESSED

Believes the Johnson Boom Hard Hit—Muscle Shoals Conference Is Recalled.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 19.—Henry Ford announced in a statement issued today that he would not run as a candidate on any ticket against President Coolidge, in whose hands he considered the Administration of the Government safe. He declared that 90 per cent. of the people were satisfied with the President and that there was no necessity for a change.

Mr. Ford expressed the belief that there need be no disturbance of business during the Presidential campaign next year. He said that disturbance could be avoided by a general acquiescence in the election of Mr. Coolidge.

A telegram from the President expressing his thanks for Mr. Ford's statement was received by the manufacturer this afternoon. Its text was not made public.

Despite Mr. Ford's stand, there was talk among some of his backers of running him for President whether he consents or not, but other backers said that the movement had collapsed. A petition placing him in nomination as a Democratic candidate was filed at Lansing today. It was said that this would be withdrawn.

Statement Made by Ford.

Mr. Ford's statement reads:

"I believe it is the wise and natural thing for the people to agree on the nomination and election of Mr. Coolidge. I am satisfied that 90 per cent. of the people feel perfectly safe with Coolidge and I feel, too, that the country is perfectly safe with him. And if this is the feeling of the country, why change?

"Mr. Coolidge has shown in these months of service a great many qualities that should please his countrymen. I think they all feel that Mr. Coolidge means to do right. And when a man means to do right, so far as I have observed, it is usually quite easy for him to find the way to do right.

"Some people seem disturbed over the conditions which business will face during the Presidential election year. Of course, there must be an election. But there is no reason why business should be disturbed by it if the people by common consent agree they will hold to a good man while they have him. Public sentiment can be so formed long before the election that there need be no doubt about the election.

"In addition to considering the interests of the people, we should consider the interests of the President, as head of the American Government. President Coolidge has a position of the highest responsibility. He should not feel compelled to take any of his time or strength for any sort of political campaigning, and for the sake of the country, as well as for his own sake, he should not have to do so."

Mr. Ford was questioned concerning the use of his own name in connection with a Presidential candidacy. He replied:

"No man has a right to say he never will consider public office, nor accept public office. No man can predict his own acts and feelings so strongly as that. But this I will say, that I would never for a moment think of running against Calvin Coolidge for President, on any ticket whatever. In this present situation I am for Coolidge."

Hailed by Republican Chairman.

The announcement by Mr. Ford will be hailed by Republicans all over the country, declared Burt D. Cady of Port Huron, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, said.

"It means that Henry Ford has jumped on the Coolidge band wagon," he declared. "It means that the Democrats have no chance of beating Coolidge.

"Michigan would have gone Republican even with Ford running against Coolidge, but with Ford's support, Coolidge in the Michigan elections should pile up the biggest majority in the history of the State. The Michigan Republicans welcome Ford's statement, and we welcome Ford. Coolidge is as good as elected."

"I'm not surprised," was the comment of A. R. Canfield, secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee, on the Ford announcement. "I presume that Mr. Ford has taken this step because it was to his own best interests, and in harmony with the views of his advisers. However, the acceptance of the Coolidge platform seems sadly out of gear with many of Mr. Ford's previous declarations.

"There has never at any time been any indication that Mr. Ford would be the Democratic nominee for President nor that he would be a candidate on any ticket. Nevertheless, his announcement serves to clear the political atmosphere, particularly in Michigan."

The Rev. William Dawe, President of the original Ford-for-President Club of Dearborn, said that he had privately held the opinion for some days that Mr. Ford would come out in support of President Coolidge. He added:

"I do not hesitate to say that in my own judgment I thought the whole matter would come out as it has." In Mr.

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Ford has decided not to run, that ends it. His decision will be helpful when our club holds a meeting to decide what to do."

"I cannot speak for the club, but I should think that the Ford-for-President Club has nothing else to do but to wind up its affairs. We have not set a date for the meeting, as we were waiting for the effects of the conference of Ford-for-President delegates at Detroit to blow over. Some of us in Dearborn did not approve that conference."

When the Dearborn Ford-for-President delegates were told by Mr. Ford's representatives to call off the national convention planned for Dec. 12, some of them expressed the belief that Mr. Ford had decided to support Coolidge and would not run against him.

Robert R. Pointer of Dearborn, who organized the Ford-for-President conference here, said that the third party plans would go on despite Mr. Ford's decision. A meeting was being arranged for January in some western city, he said, at which the third party would be launched.

"Mr. Ford will live to change his mind in regard to supporting Coolidge," said Mr. Pointer. "The farmer is in acute need of relief and when the farmers finally go broke, Mr. Ford won't find his business so good."

Nominated in Lansing Petition.

Special to The New York Times.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 19.—Presidential primary petitions, placing President Coolidge in nomination as a Republican candidate and Henry Ford as a Democratic candidate were received by Secretary of State Deland today.

The Coolidge petition contained 147 names, and was filed by Horatio Earle of Detroit. The Ford petition was filed by James Heime of Adrian, and contained 140 names. Both conform with the requirements of the State law, which stipulates that only 100 names are necessary.

"I expect to notify both President Coolidge and Mr. Ford that the petitions have been filed and accepted," Mr. Deland said. "Each can do what he likes about it."

As the date for filing such petitions does not expire until March 1, there will be plenty of time for Ford to withdraw his name if he desires.

Governor Groesbeck, in a prepared statement, expressed the belief that the Ford issue was now settled. He said:

"Mr. Ford's support and advocacy of President Coolidge for election clarifies the political situation immensely and to my mind settles the whole business. Mr. Ford has a large following, is justifiably popular with the common folk and undoubtedly would have been a strong contender for presidential honors had he been a candidate.

"While in some quarters his ability to step out and handle political and public matters has been questioned, the fact is that he has a genius for organization on a large scale, that he is well-intentioned, sure-footed and full of practical ideas that would work for better government. Almost everything he has undertaken has been well and thoroughly done.

"He would do the same as an official. His decision to stand by the President was undoubtedly made after a careful survey of the country's needs. It is a fine tribute to Mr. Coolidge and will be welcomed by the nation."

Asserts Ford Cannot Withdraw.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—It is too late for Henry Ford to withdraw from the Michigan Presidential primary election of next Spring, despite his statement today that he would not run against President Coolidge, James W. Helme, who filed Ford petitions at Lansing today, declared. Helme was Ford's unsuccessful opponent on the Democratic ticket in the 1918 Michigan Senatorial primaries.

"The provision for the withdrawal of a man's name after petitions for him have been filed," Mr. Helme said.

WASHINGTON TAKES IT AS JOHNSON SETBACK

Ford's Satisfactory Talk With Coolidge on Muscle Shoals Is Deemed Significant.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. — Henry Ford's declaration in favor of the nomination and election of Coolidge to the Presidency in 1924 is generally considered in Washington the biggest single development so far in the pre-election campaign.

It is expected to lend impetus to the campaign for the nomination of Coolidge, has clarified the situation for all parties by definitely eliminating Ford from the race, and virtually reduces the possibilities of a third party movement to the La Follette and Farm Labor groups.

Naturally the President and his supporters were extremely gratified over the action taken by the Detroit manufacturer, and Mr. Coolidge so expressed himself to callers. In addition the President has sent Mr. Ford a telegram of appreciation and thanks for the confidence reposed in him. At the White House it was stated that it would not be courteous to Mr. Ford to give out the text of the communication here, but that there was no objection to Mr. Ford making it public if he desired.

News of the decision of Mr. Ford to support Coolidge reached the Capital and the White House a few minutes before 1 o'clock this afternoon in press association dispatches and telegrams from Detroit newspapers to their Washington correspondents. It caused general satisfaction, except among followers of Senator Hiram Johnson of California. Republican supporters of the President were elated because they professed to see in Mr. Ford's support a great forward movement in favor of the nomination of Mr. Coolidge.

Democrats generally heaved a sigh of relief, especially followers of William G. McAdoo, who appeared to think that the new development would clarify the situation for their candidate, although it was privately admitted by some Democratic politicians that Ford's support of Coolidge would prove a highly valuable asset to the President.

The general opinion is that the Ford declaration will serve as a set-back to the campaign of Hiram Johnson. Ford has been strong with farmers throughout the West, whose support the campaign managers of the President are seeking to win. If they succeed in this, the result must be unfavorable to Johnson and not altogether good for the aspirations of the McAdoo men.

Senators' Views Differ.

This is the way in which Senators who were willing to be quoted greeted the Ford announcement:

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican floor leader—Good news. It shows how the tide is running.

Senator Edwards of New Jersey, Democrat.—It amounts to nothing whatever. It never did.

Senator Pittman of Nevada, Democrat. —I expected it. Ford is a Republican.

Senator Glass of Virginia, former Secretary of the Treasury and close friend of Woodrow Wilson.—I never thought he would be a candidate. I have supposed all along that he had that much sense.

Senator Brandegee of Connecticut, Republican opponent of the League of Nations.—This shows that our candidate is an adaptable all-around man.

Senator H. Johnson of California.—Not surprised. It has been known in Washington for some time that Ford would support Coolidge.

Senator Willis of Ohio, who nominated Harding in 1920 and is fighting to win Ohio for Coolidge: "I'm not surprised, because President Coolidge's Muscle Shoals proposal is fair and evidently appeals to Mr. Ford as fair."

Senator King of Utah, Democrat: "I don't think it will affect 10,000 votes. Ford was beaten and knows he was beaten because the Democrats did not take him up and no third party sentiment developed. He is a political crank and ignoramus."

Senator Weller, Republican, of Maryland: "I think this will strengthen the President, especially in the Northwest, where Mr. Ford has great strength."

Senators Borah, Curtis, Shipstead, Ralston and Cousens of Michigan had "nothing to say."

A prominent Republican Senator said: "This means the beginning of the end of Hiram Johnson."

Today's open announcement of Mr. Ford's position confirms a statement made in a Washington dispatch printed in THE NEW YORK TIMES last week that word had reached the White House indicating that Ford would support Coolidge.

Satisfied as to Muscle Shoals.

Several weeks ago Ford was in Washington on railroad business and found time to call upon President Coolidge. It was rumored immediately that the Administration's attitude toward Muscle Shoals was eminently satisfactory to Mr. Ford and that therefore whatever Presidential aspirations he might have had were dimmed.

Following this came Burt Cady, Chairman of the Republican State Committee of Michigan. Cady intimated strongly that Ford's retirement in favor of the President might be expected and pointed to the last-minute calling off of the third party convention in Detroit to nominate Ford as an accurate indication.

The South Dakota situation, which, because of the intricacy of that State's primary laws and other elements, has given the Coolidge organization much concern, bobbed up again today with the possibility of another change in the plans for contesting the State.

President Coolidge by virtue of his endorsement by the South Dakota proposal convention holds the "rail position" in the impending primary fight. Should his name not go on the ballot, in its place would be the names of Samuel Elrod and twelve other Coolidge backers desirous of attending the national convention as the South Dakota delegation. Therefore it is argued that the President might do better by permitting the voters of the State to ballot for Elrod, forcing the Johnson backers to get thirteen men on their ticket as "Independent" column through the circulation of petitions, each petition requiring 800 separate names.

Some See Help to La Follette.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—That there would be some political advantage to Senator La Follette from Henry Ford's announcement, in case La Follette should become a Presidential candidate, was the belief expressed by followers of the Wisconsin Senator today. In the effect upon the action of the Farmer-Labor Party, particularly in the Dakotas, Minnesota and Wisconsin, Ford's retirement as a potential candidate, it was thought, might operate to the benefit of the La Follette forces. La Follette has been sharing with Ford in several regions the apparent favor of Farmer-Labor leaders.

Representative Cordell Hull of Tennessee, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, declined to make a formal statement on Ford's announcement, but in reply to a question said that Mr. Ford "is a free American citizen, and is entitled to his personal preference the same as any one else."

"Nothing that he can say in behalf of President Coolidge, however," added Mr. Hull, "will make Mr. Coolidge less reactionary or change in any respect the record of the ruling faction in the Republican Party as the political instrument of the special privilege class."

SAYS McADOO WILL GAIN.

He Can Now Seek Michigan Strength, Miller Declares.

David Hunter Miller, head and front of the movement in this State to make William G. McAdoo the next Democratic nominee for President, said last night in commenting on Henry Ford's announcement:

"Mr. Ford's withdrawal is one of those clarifying incidents which often come quite late in a pre-convention canvass. It has come early this time. From my point of view it will mean that President Coolidge's friends will have no difficulty in making him the Republican nominee. It removes from the field a potential figure in any convention and means that Mr. Ford is in the Republican camp for 1924 as a supporter of President Coolidge.

"It means also that friends of Mr. McAdoo now are at liberty to go after delegates in Michigan, Illinois and some other States not formerly entered by them. It seems to me to make the nomination of Mr. McAdoo inevitable. I think it will be so regarded all over the country."

"Have Mr. McAdoo's friends tried to get any delegates for him in this State, or will they do so?" Mr. Miller was asked.

"They will not," he replied. "The friends of Mr. McAdoo are also the friends of Governor Smith. The Governor is the favorite son candidate and will have all the Democratic delegates from his own State. He had them before. There is no reason why he should not have them again."

MELLON ASKS WILMETH TO RESUME OLD PLACE

But Engraving Bureau Director Who Was Ousted Declines—Posts for Others Removed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Steps were taken by the Administration today to terminate the controversy which originated in the discharge by President Harding nearly two years ago of thirty officials of the Bureau of Engraving.

Reappointment as director of the bureau was offered by Secretary Mellon to James L. Wilmeth, who was among those ousted by the Executive order. Mr. Wilmeth declined to accept the offer. The Secretary's action, taken after two conferences with Mr. Wilmeth today, was accepted not only as serving to vindicate the deposed director but to prepare a change in the administration of the bureau.

Treasury officials were silent as to the next move, but there were indications that Mr. Mellon desired to place a new official at the head of the bureau, now in charge of Louis A. Bill, who succeeded Mr. Wilmeth. The Treasury, it was said, planned to offer reinstatement to all of those ousted with Mr. Wilmeth, but the latter declined to comment on this possibility. The new director, if one is selected, will come from outside the personnel of the bureau, it was stated at the Treasury.

Mr. Wilmeth said after conferring with the Secretary, that he had refused to return to the place "for reasons best known to myself." He has important business connections in Philadelphia, and these are understood to be too attractive to interest his return to the Government service.

The offer of the place to Mr. Wilmeth was believed at the Treasury to have brought to an end a controversy that grew bitter, and which occasioned much criticism of President Harding.

Several attempts were made by Senator Caraway, Democrat, of Arkansas, to put a resolution through the Senate calling upon the President for an explanation of the wholesale discharges. Adoption of the resolution was not accomplished at the last session, and Mr. Caraway introduced another resolution in the present session. He agreed to withhold pressing it, however, it was said, when indications were given that action would be taken tantamount to clearing the records of the discharged officials.

After the discharge of the officials an investigation of the bureau's affairs was ordered from the Treasury, but the results of the inquiry by the Secret Service were never made public. It was indicated in Administration circles, however, that no irregularities were discovered.

BRITAIN TO BUILD 52 AIR SQUADRONS

Military Plan to Equal Strength of Other Nations, Says Duke of Sutherland.

HERE TO STUDY AVIATION

England Is Especially Interested in Developments in America, Under Secretary Asserts.

The new British military aeronautical program contemplates the building of fifty-two squadrons of airplanes within the next three to five years, thereby placing England on equal strength with the air forces of other nations of Europe, the Duke of Sutherland, Under Secretary of the British Air Ministry, said yesterday at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. This program, he said, was apart from the air activities of the dominions and was under the head of home defense.

The Duke said that Britain was not engaged in any aerial armament race, but was simply establishing an air force commensurate with the country's needs and position. He was certain that there was a greater interest in the strides England was taking in the development of civil aviation, disclosing that an ambitious program had been worked out tending toward the opening of commercial routes from London to leading cities of Continental Europe and to Cairo, Egypt. England regarded flying as essential to commerce as shipping, he added.

The Duke said the Government recently had consummated an arrangement whereby three of the leading commercial air companies, which had combined, would receive a Government subsidy totaling £1,000,000. This subsidy would be extended over a ten-year period when he believed the lines would be self-sustaining.

"The purpose of my visit," he said, "is to study, as Under Secretary of State for Air, the manner in which the United States has undertaken the development of flying by establishing personal contact with the Government air service and the industry through the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce. While I have yet, of course, to form my definite opinions, it would appear that the American aircraft industry had registered astounding achievements, unaided by subsidy, in developing aircraft performance, to the end that most of the world records are now held by the United States.

"England looks upon flying as an economic contribution as essential to commerce as shipping. Aviation should not be regarded as a menace, to be curbed. Aviation ended England's insularity. England is now as much a part of Continental Europe as France or Germany. England's effort is to develop commercial flying, and at the same time provide for its air defenses in proportion to the size and importance of the British Empire. The only thought of competition in the air which England entertains is commercial competition.

"England is especially interested in American aviation development in high speed, in carrying mails and express, and more recently in developing airships. The American air mail experiment is unique and has attracted universal attention, particularly the experiments conducted in night flying last Summer. England's airship program undoubtedly will be influenced by American initiative. The construction of your navy airship was a great engineering feat and the acquisition of German airship assistance a business stroke which is likely to have far-reaching effect.

"With regard to civil aviation, I believe we are ahead of America, partly, no doubt, on account of the subsidies the British Government pays to operating firms. Rightly or wrongly, we believe in this policy as the surest aid for fostering the growth of civil aviation at the start."

Accompanied by Group Captain M. G. Christie, air attaché at the British embassy, the Duke went to Mitchel Field yesterday afternoon, where he inspected the planes. Lieutenant A. J. ("Al") Williams, U. S. N., holder of the world speed record, greeted the visitor in behalf of the American aviators.

SEEKS JUDGE FOR MISSOURI.

Coolidge Wants Spencer to Name a Compromise Candidate.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Oklahoma Judgeship fight having been sidetracked temporarily, the Missouri Judgeship squabble returned to the foreground today to plague President Coolidge and his advisers.

Having definitely decided that Senator Spencer's candidate, Vital W. Garasche, is in disfavor among other leaders of the State, the President, it is learned, will ask the Senator to select a compromise candidate for consideration.

The same course was followed in the Oklahoma situation and brought on an open break, but it is believed the Missouri fight can be settled more amicably.

BACKS HARDING SELECTION.

Coolidge Nominates Stowe for Virginia Post Despite Vigorous Protests

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—By sending to the Senate today the nomination of Henry M. Stowe, formerly of Marion, Ohio, to be Postmaster at Bedford, Va., President Coolidge carried out another Harding policy.

Stowe, who is a member of the Elks' Home at Bedford, received a recess appointment as Postmaster from President Harding last Spring. The appointment brought about a protest from Virginia Republicans, who declared that Stowe should not get the place because he was not really a resident of Virginia. The matter was carried without avail to Mr. Harding, who told newspaper men, in announcing that he would stand by Stowe, that "if a man cannot be President and still remain faithful to his friends, it is not worth while to be President."

CINCINNATI BACKS COOLIDGE

Republican Organization There Favors Proctor as Delegate.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—The Executive and Advisory Committee of the Republican organization in Hamilton County today adopted a resolution declaring for the nomination of Coolidge for President.

It was announced that the central committees of the organization would adopt the resolution at a meeting to be held later.

William Cooper Procter of Cincinnati was endorsed for delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention. Congressman Nicholas Longworth was congratulated on his selection as floor leader of the House of Representatives.

Names Mayfield Investigators.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A subcommittee of five to investigate charges of excessive election expenditures filed against Senator Mayfield, Democrat, of Texas, by his opponent, George P. B. Paddy of Houston, was appointed today by the Senate Elections Committee. The inquiry will begin after the holidays, following approval by the Senate of a resolution authorizing it. Chairman Spencer, who will present the resolution, said it will make no reference to the Ku Klux Klan. Senators Spencer, Ernst of Kentucky and Green of Vermont, Republicans, and King, Utah, and Neely, West Virginia, Democrats, compose the subcommittee.

KAMMERER GIVES PROOF OF THEORIES

Supports Darwin's Belief That Acquired Characteristics Are Inherited.

Dr. Paul Kammerer, Viennese biologist, hailed by British scientists as "the logical successor to Darwin," lectured yesterday at City College. Dr. Kammerer's address was in support of his proof of Darwin's theory that acquired characteristics are inherited. He said that he had succeeded in developing the rudimentary visual organ of the newt into a full sized functioning eye by red illumination to which the animal was exposed for five years after birth.

At the same time Dr. Kammerer took occasion to answer his American critics. He said:

"People declare: 'Kammerer's theories are interesting, but what we need is corroboration.' Certainly, that is correct. Every research worker must submit his experiments for proof. Only behind this demand for corroboration are insinuations that I am making non-existent claims.

"In point of fact, I have played a little joke on these skeptical fellows. When I lectured at the Linnean society in London and at the British universities on my experiments with the sea squirt there was an immediate howl for corroboration from the scientists. Even when I produced this corroboration from many leading scientists in Italy, Germany, Austria, and elsewhere, some were still loath to believe. Now in a recent issue of Nature there is a man, named Fox, who attacks me for my statements in regard to sea squirts. On examination, however, I find that he did not perform the experiment correctly.

"It is twenty-five years since I started my experiments and I did not expect results in so short a time. What I really wanted were negative results. Now we will begin with salamanders, which I will throw on the screen, and you will then see how I was able to change black salamanders into yellow spotted and yellow striped animals by placing them on yellow backgrounds and it will be demonstrated that their progeny retained these acquired characteristics."

Dr. Kammerer then went on with a description of his work in connection with newts.

"It was claimed," he said, "that the degeneration of the eye in cave-dwelling animals cannot be made hereditary, that it is only a non-hereditary modification, a mere environmental change. Otherwise it would be impossible by exposure to light for a single generation to undo what life in darkness for so many generations had produced.

"What contradicts this view is that exposure to ordinary daylight alone is not effective. In daylight the skin which covers the rudimentary eye is filled with a dark pigment. This considerable, though by no means complete absorption of light, due to the pigment, is sufficient to arrest the development of the eye so that the normal degeneration occurs. Red light, however, causes no pigmentation in the skin and only under the influence of this chemically inactive light is the regression overcome."

Dr. Kammerer showed slides of a section through the eye of the newly born proteus which was left in the dark. The eye of the proteus exposed to red light, he said, was observed five years later, was eighteen and a half times as big as the "blind eye" and it had developed a cornea; the lens grew enormously and a new vitreous humor was developed.

DEVER FOR FAVORITE SON.

Chicago Mayor Is Boomed to Oppose McAdoo in Illinois.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—It may be Dever vs. McAdoo in Illinois on April 8, 1924. This prediction was made on first-class authority tonight following the announcement that William G. McAdoo will seek on that date to win the Illinois democratic delegation as a candidate for the Presidency.

Action to put Mayor Dever in the race can be taken at the Democratic Advisory State Convention at Springfield Jan. 18. There is already a clearly visible determination to bring him in and it is believed that he will consent.

The subject has been discussed among the leaders of the party organization in Cook County and with enough confidence in the State leader to show that if the Dever plan is adopted it will sweep the State conference and the Springfield action alone will go far toward settling the result of the primary.

Formal announcement of the McAdoo plans was made from his Chicago headquarters by Chairman David Ladd Rockwell, who for three days has been consulting with local advisers. He said:

"Mr. McAdoo's name will be filed and he will enter the Illinois primary. We waited until his formal announcement of candidacy had been made in answer to the South Dakota proposal before making public the Illinois decision."

MEXICAN FEDERALS RETIRE ON CAPITAL

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ordered from Oriental, and from Manantiales.

Available information at the War Department, according to an unofficial statement, indicated that the de la Huertistas were "unable" to muster more than 2,000 effectives at San Marcos, although possible reinforcements might swell the total.

General Fausto Topete, commanding the Federal cavalry, was unofficially reported today to have executed a flanking movement and attacked the revolutionary forces from the rear, east of San Marcos, isolating 2,000 irregulars in San Marcos and forcing them to give battle. Confirmation of the manoeuvre could not be obtained at the War Department.

Confidence was expressed semi-officially at the department that the Federals would drive back their opponents. The first of both the rebel and Federal wounded have arrived in Mexico City and were taken to the military hospital.

The Vera Cruz rebel command is facing a complication, unofficial reports declared, as a result of the advance of a strong Federal column under General Juan Domingusa from Santa Lucrecia over the Isthmian Railway upon Cordoba and Orizaba. Fighting was reported at Orizaba, but there was no official confirmation.

Fifteen thousand cotton mill workers are idle on account of the shutdown due to lack of raw material, according to advices emanating from Orizaba, and they constitute a serious menace to the revolutionary forces of occupation.

Cesar Lopez de Lara, fugitive Governor of Tamaulipas, is reported hiding in Laredo, Texas. General Celso Castro, brother of the rebel general, Cesario Castro, was killed near Torreon, according to dispatches from Saltillo, while attempting to evade arrest, after he had been captured on a charge of organising workers on his ranch for the purpose of revolting.

Headquarters of the Monetary Commission issued a statement to the effect that Enrique Manero, manager of the Durango branch, had abandoned his post upon instructions from the commission, carrying funds and records to Havana, whence he was going to New York to turn them over to persons there and await orders.

An intercepted wireless message from General Enrique Estrada sent to General Maycotte at Oaxaca made public by the War Department showed that Estrada had altered somewhat his attitude against recognition of Adolfo de la Huerta, stating that for the benefit of the revolutionary movement De la Huerta should be recognized as the chief of the rebellion until leaders could confer and effect such alteration of the revolutionary program as they deem advisable.

Minor successes for the Government forces against the rebels both to the east and west of Mexico City are claimed in an official War Departmnet bulletin issued tonight (Tuesday).

The rebels, attacking San Marcos (eighty-five miles east of Mexico City) last night under the cover of darkness, retreated hastily leaving two cannon and forty-five prisoners in the hands of the Federals, the announcement said. The headquarters of the operating column reports no further incidents during the day.

The chief of the military forces in the State of Michoacan (west of the capital) reports that Jiquilpan volunteers routed the bandit command led by Colonel Lopez, belonging to Estrada's forces in that region. During the fighting Lopez was shot dead, the Federals taking six prisoners.

The Presidential Secretariat also issued a bulletin setting forth a dispatch as sent to President Obregon by the Federal Commander, General Eugenio Martinez, in regard to the fighting at San Marcos. The dispatch said:

"After various attempts to recapture San Marcos last night the enemy retreated. Reconnaissance parties going to the neighborhood of Manantiales on the Interoceanic Railway and Rincanada on the Mexican Railway line report that the enemy's retreat is continuing, and that they are tearing up the railway lines."

Special dispatches from Tampico state that three United States warships have been sighted off that port, while two others are proceeding to Vera Cruz.

Press dispatches from Villa Hermosa, capital of the State of Tabasco, state that rebel forces commanded by Generals Carlos Green, ex-Governor of Tabasco; Fernando Segovia, and Marcelino Lucero, which have been attacking Villa Hermosa for the past two days, have suffered heavy losses in the bloodiest fighting of the present revolution.

The forces of Generals Segovia and Lucero are reported to have suffered 100 casualities inflicted by General Vicente Gonzales, commanding Federal forces within the city.

No Warships Ordered to Mexico.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Admiral Eberle, Chief of Naval Operations, stated tonight, in response to a question, that the Navy Department is not making any special disposition of war vessels in Mexican waters. He denied the report from Mexico which stated that American warships were off Tampico and that others were going to Vera Cruz. The Admiral stated that the American Special Service Squadron, which operates in Gulf and West Indian waters, was now at Panama.

Merida Taken Over by Revolutionists.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—The city of Merida, capital of Yucatan, with a population of 100,000, was taken over by the rebels yesterday, when General Lorriga, chief of the garrison declared for Huerta, it was announced today by the Mexican Consul General here. Indications were that the port of Progreso would fall into rebel hands, it was added.

At the outbreak of the rebellion Governor Castillo, a loyalist, arrested Lorriga. However, he was released when he promised loyalty to Obregon.

A few days later the General won over the garrison and took possession of the city, the consular dispatch stated. Progreso, which is expected to be in rebel control momentarily, is the chief shipping point for the sisal growers of the Mexican peninsula and is visited by many American ships.

Advance on Jalisco Rebels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Official reports received by the Mexican Embassy today from Mexico City said large contingents of Federal troops were massing for a further attack against the revolutionary forces from Vera Cruz following the evacuation by the rebels of San Marcos.

"No important developments are reported from the Guadalajara front, where the Federal troops continue their advance," the embassy statement said. "The railroad tracks are being repaired preparatory to a decisive attack upon General Estrada's forces, and a battle is likely to take place at any time.

"Conditions throughout the republic continue undisturbed. Contrary to reports emanating from rebel sources, normal conditions prevail in Sinaloa, where the Governor, General Angel Flores, has reiterated his allegiance to and firm support of the Government.

"Railroad communication between Mexico City and all border points continues normal and communication with Guadalajara is being re-established with the advance of the Federal army."

Troops of President Obregon on Dec. 17 recognized San Marcos and intend to force the evacuation of Puebla by the rebels, Chargé Summerlin reported today to the State Department, forwarding advices from Mexico City. Federal troops were said to be moving on Puebla.

Consular reports from Tampico said Federal forces there had taken all necessary precautionary measures to protect the city against attacks by revolutionary land forces or gunboats. The entire oil region was reported to be "peaceful and all trains running on time." The dispatch added that many laborers were requesting arms in order to aid the Government.

MEXICAN SENATORS TO MEET.

Informal Discussion of Conventions Is Agreed Upon.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—An informal session of the majority Senators for the purpose of discussing the claims conventions between the United States and Mexico was agreed upon last night at a meeting between Senators Orantes, President of the Senate, and Arguelles, leader of the de la Huertista bloc. The date for the session was not set, but it is expected to be held within a week.

The informal exchange of opinions and viewpoints is planned for the purpose of reconciling the conflicting opinions before the conventions are taken up formally in the Senate. Previous attempts to bring up the treaties have been frustrated through the lack of a quorum, caused by the abstention of those Senators opposed to the convention.

ARMY LOYAL, SAYS OBREGON.

Believes Peace Will Be Restored Quickly in Mexico.

General Obregon, President of Mexico, has sent the following message to The Associated Press in reply to a request for a statement on the situation in that republic:

"The military rebels, who are headed by Adolfo de la Huerta, have been issuing lies to mislead the public. Up to the present the great majority of the army remain loyal to the Government and are fighting energetically against the traitors.

"I have reason to believe that peace will be restored very quickly, and I will continue to work for reconstruction and progress, initiated by the Government over which I have the honor to preside. OBREGON."

BONUS SIDETRACKED IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

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ing, with the strict injunction that they must keep the provisions secret. The fact that Secretary Mellon had described all his recommendations in a public statement suggested the question why the bill should be secret, and following this there was speculation whether there were any "jokers" in the measure. Mr. Green said that all the fundamental principles had been preserved and that there was nothing the country did not expect from the Secretary's recent statement.

Committee Starts Work at Once.

At an afternoon session the committee disposed of seventeen pages of the 200-page document without quibble or controversy, except on one point, which was not revealed and which was said to be inconsequential. It is the purpose of the committee to sit until Saturday and then to stop work until after the holidays, turning over the bill to a subcommittee, which will review it in advance.

Mr. Green estimates that it will take about ten to fifteen "working days" to get through with the administrative features of the tax bill. Figured from Jan. 3, when Congress will get back to Washington, this would bring the date to Jan. 13-18, and in this period the bonus is expected to be taken up by the committee. It is conceded that the bonus must be out of the way before the committee can tell how much money will be available for tax reduction, but Mr. Green said his word "disposed" concerning the bonus in his statement of yesterday meant disposal by the committee and not necessarily by Congress.

On the theory that the Democratic and Republican members are agreed that there should be changes in the present tax laws in order to produce more revenue, it was suggested again today that the administrative features might be placed in a separate bill. Mr. Green said this was a possibility, but not at all certain. The alterations will bring a new revenue of $60,000,000, the Treasury Department estimates.

The constitutional amendment lifting the exemption on certain State and Federal bonds has been lost sight of in the interest over the bonus and tax bills, but the committee hopes to report this out, through using part of the time while the other matters are being handled. Some committee members still believe the constitutional provision that taxes may be levied on income "from whatever source derived" may be used in lieu of the amendment, but neither Senator Smoot of the Finance Committee nor Mr. Green believes this.

Mr. Green said today the Secretary of the Treasury had been asked for a written opinion on the matter. A committee composed of Mr. Green and four other men will study the legal aspects of the amendment in the meantime.

Mellon Gives Bonus Cost Figures.

Secretary Mellon's letter to Representative Andrew of Massachusetts submits data in support of the Secretary's declaration to Chairman Green of the Ways and Means Committee that the soldiers' bonus would postpone tax reduction not for one but many years to come.

The estimates given by him are regarded by him to fully uphold the view that enactment of the soldiers' bill in the form in which it was vetoed by President Harding would mean an increase rather than a decrease in taxes.

"Taking up each of the three options, the total direct cost, if 100 per cent. of those entitled to the benefits of the bonus accept farm and home aid, would be $2,068,662,903, and the average cost for the first four years would be $475,000,000 a year. If 100 per cent. should take the vocational training aid, the total cost would be $2,338,922,451, of which $1,300,000,000 would be in the first year and $1,000,000,000 in the second year. If 100 per cent. should choose the certificate plan, the total direct cost (including an estimate of $225,000,000 a year for the first twenty years for administration) would be $5,400,526,444, and the average for the first four years would be about $225,000,000 a year.

"Senator McCumber assumed 75 per cent. would take the certificate plan, 23½ per cent. the farm loan and home aid plan, and 1½ per cent. the vocational training plan. He also assumed that a certain amount would be borrowed on the certificates. It is believed that a more probable estimate now is that there would be 90 per cent. who would choose the certificate plan, 9 per cent. the farm loan and home aid plan, and 1 per cent. vocational training. Based on these estimates, the total direct cost of the bonus would be $5,085,639,087, and an average for the first four years of over $300,000,000 a year.

"It has been the policy of the United States to make preparation to meet large principal payments coming due at a period in the future by use of a sinking fund, and no other policy is sound. The twentieth year of the bonus would see requirements of nearly $3,000,000,000. If this sound policy be continued, it is estimated that, with some borrowing by the Government during the fourth and fifth years, twenty-one payments of $211,476,357 each from 1925 to 1944, both inclusive, it is said, would easily meet the cost of the bonus up to 1944, leaving a balance of about $650,000,000 coming due in later years to be met by new legislation.

Justifies Previous Statement.

"Your letter of Dec. 10 calls attention to a statement appearing in my letter of Nov. 10 to Mr. Green to the effect that 'a soldier bonus would postpone tax reduction not for one but for many years to come. It would mean an increase rather than a decrease in taxes.'

"This is well justified. You must add to the direct cost of $250,000,000 a year for the first four years of the bonus, and the average of $211,000,000 per year for the first twenty years, the enormous indirect cost to the Government.

"The bill gives the right for the first three years to borrow from banks of the country, and that this right would be exercised, by the great majority of certificate holders none denies. The consequent demand for credit would raise the interest rates which the Government as well as the general public will have to pay on borrowed money. At the same time the mere passage of the bill would depress the price of Government bonds and increase their basis of return.

"In such a money market the Government would have to take care of the $5,000,000,000 of its securities which mature within the next five years, and to do so would, of course, have to meet the higher rate of interest. The continuing cost of an increase in interest rates on such a volume of refunding would be very large.

"The Government like every other person in the United States, would also have to conduct its business at greatly increased expense, due to the higher price level generally which would inevitably follow the credit expansion and decreased production brought on by the bonus law.

Says Surplus Would Disappear.

"Soon the disturbance to business by this and other factors would reduce the income of the people and thus the Government's revenue, so that any estimated surplus would no longer exist and recourse would have to be had to additional taxes.

"It must be obvious to any impartial mind that a new obligation of the United States made in time of peace to pay over $5,000,000,000, of which $1,000,000,000 comes in the first four years, and an average drain on the Treasury for twenty years of $211,000,000 a year, which is one-fifth of the total pre-war cost of Government, cannot be undertaken without serious economic consequences. If such a commitment is made, any reduction of Federal taxes upon a comprehensive plan will probably not be seen in this generation."

Andrew Disputes Mellon's Figures.

Representative Andrew issued tonight this statement in reply to some of the questions raised in the letter of Secretary Mellon:

"The Secretary's estimates of the cost of adjusted compensation are greatly in excess of the previous estimates of his own actuary, which were published by the Senate Committee a year and a half ago and which have not been questioned heretofore. They remind one of the estimated deficit of $650,000,000 which motivated President Harding's veto of the Adjusted Compensation bill, and which proved after the veto to be $1,000,000,000 in error, as the deficit was transformed into an actual surplus of more than $300,000,000.

"According to these estimates of the Government actuary, the Treasury Department official who is charged with such calculations, the Adjusted Compensation bill will not cost more than $81,000,000 yearly for the next three years, or less than a quarter of the Secretary's proposed reduction in taxes. It will allow the whole proposed reduction of 25 per cent. in the tax on earned incomes, the whole reduction in the normal tax, the repeal of all admission taxes, the repeal of all telegraph and telephone taxes, and some readjustment of surtax rates, although not that the Secretary proposed. The expense of adjusted compensation to the country, according to the Treasury actuary's estimate, would amount to not more than 75 cents per capita annually during the next three years.

Tells of Debt Reduction.

"The Secretary is of the opinion that because the proposed insurance certificates will mature at the end of twenty years that taxes must be at once collected and money regularly set aside to cover this eventual expenditure. This is obviously unnecessary. In the five years since the war, our Government has already retired considerably more than $4,000,000,000 of the national debt. If the same rate of retirement prevails in the next twenty years as in the past five, our Government debt will at that time be well on the road to extinction. We may count it altogether probable that the European countries will long since have begun to repay their debt. There is no reason for discussing at present the twenty odd years to pass an expenditure in 1945, which, at the high-est estimate, will not amount to more than a quarter of what Europe owes us.

"Secretary Mellon seems perturbed because of the loan feature in the Adjusted Compensation bill, which he implies may cause a serious drain on the credit of the country. If all the veterans were to borrow cash from the banks against their certificates to the full limit authorised by the bill, and all were to default upon their notes, the Treasury might have in time to take up loans to the extent of $1,200,000,000, but under those circumstances that is all that adjusted compensation would ever cost. When one remembers that the total loans and discounts of the banks of the United States amount to more than $20,000,000,000, even this utterly improbable possibility of adjusted compensation would not seem likely to have the damaging results that have been suggested."

HOTEL FLOOR HIRED FOR JOHNSON FORCES

Hitchcock Announces Presidential Campaign Plans of California Senator.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 19. — Senator Hiram W. Johnson's campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination will be formally launched in Cleveland on the night of Jan. 3, when he will address a mass meeting at the Masonic Auditorium. At the same time the California Senator's Ohio organization will be formed. His campaign, in a measure, will be centred in this locality.

This was announced late today by Frank H. Hitchcock, Senator Johnson's campaign manager. He also stated that headquarters during the Republican National Convention in June would be at the Hotel Cleveland, where he has engaged virtually the entire mezzanine floor, including small dining rooms which will be available for committees. These headquarters, Mr. Hitchcock said, would not be occupied until just before the convention opened.

It was not impossible that the Johnson national campaign headquarters might be moved from Chicago to Cleveland, but this would not be decided immediately, Mr. Hitchcock said.

Mr. Hitchcock declined to comment on Henry Ford's declaration that he thought the country was "safe with Coolidge" and that he would not consider running against the President.

"The campaign will officially open with Mr. Johnson's appearance here and will continue from then until the primaries," Mr. Hitchcock said. "The Senator will make flying trips from Washington to various cities in this area. The campaign in a measure will be centred in this locality. After that we will go elsewhere. The far West is strong for Mr. Johnson and so is the Mississippi region. We are going after the opposition in the places where it is strongest."

ENDORSE MELLON PROGRAM

Republican Club of New York Tells Coolidge It Opposes Bonus.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A delegation representing the National Republican Club of New York City called at the White House today and informed the President that the organization endorsed the President's stand in favor of tax reduction and in opposition to the bonus.

The delegation was headed by Nathaniel Elsberg, President of the club; Robert W. Bonynge, former President; Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Representatives Snell and Bacon, former State Senator Martin Saxe, James J. Lyons, Treasurer of the club; Richard W. Lawrence, Arthur K. Kuhn, John A. Dutton, Allen D. Kenyon and Herbert R. Smith.

The National Republican Club, with members in every State in the Union, President Coolidge was told, unanimously endorsed the Mellon tax reduction proposal and the President's stand against the bonus, and the committee was appointed to come to Washington to do all in its power to further the adoption of the Mellon plan by Congress.

Following the audience with the President, the

POLICE HOLD MUNICH TO PREVENT REVOLT

Strong Forces Turn Out on Report of a Plot for New Hitlerite Outbreak.

DICTATORSHIP BILL FAILS

Peasants' League at Last Minute Rejects Government Measure in the Landtag.

By CYRIL BROWN.

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BERLIN, Dec. 19.—Berlin was kept on the qui vive today by a sensational report that another Hitlerite putsch was scheduled in Munich tonight during a performance of "Tosca," but at a late hour telephone reports announce everything quiet at the Opera, with strong forces of police guarding the public buildings and squares and holding every vantage point.

More serious interest attached to the fact that the law conferring much the same dictatorial powers on the Bavarian Government as was recently steam-rollered through the Reichstag for the Reich Government was killed in the Landtag today by the sudden opposition of the Peasants' League. This measure, which had been expected to go through with flying colors, failed to get the necessary constitutional two-thirds majority, the vote being only 91 for and 54 against it. It is believed that the von Knilling Ministry will not resign, but rather that the Bavarian Diet will be dissolved.

A curious situation has developed in Saxony. The Saxon Socialists have changed their minds about the proposed elections, fearing an appeal to the voters would result in the loss of at least one-third of their strength, with the reactionaries and Communists making the principal gains. The Socialists therefore are now dickering with the leaders of the Saxon bourgois parties as to the possibility of a big coalition Government with the Socialist Fellisch again as Minister-President.

General Müller, the Reichswehr commander in the Saxon sector, had placed a ban on both the Communist and anti-Semitic parties, and this military decree was interpreted as forbidding Communist and anti-Semitic tickets for the Saxon Landtag elections. Through the intervention of Dr. Gessler, the Minister of National Defense, who personally went to the Dresden military authorities, it has now been decided that while their organizations are forbidden both Communists and anti-Semites can run for election as individuals.

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MUNICH, Dec. 19.—The Financial Powers bill, which has conferred on the Bavarian Government very wide powers for carrying out important measures of financial reform, was rejected by the Bavarian Diet today, the Government failing to obtain the two-thirds majority necessary for passage of the bill.

The Bavarian People's Party, the Centre Party and the Democrats, totaling 91, voted for the bill, and the Social Democrats, Communists and Peasants' League, totaling 54, voted against it.

The leader of the Bavarian People's Party subsequently made a declaration to the effect that this party would reserve to itself the right to future action and would meet tomorrow to decide on the question of whether dissolution of the Diet and new elections should be recommended.

CONSULTS PARTY HEADS ON BRITISH EXPERTS

Sir John Bradbury Concludes His Search for German Inquiry Committee Members.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—Sir John Bradbury concluded today his search for experts to represent Great Britain on the two committees which the Reparation Commission is setting up to inquire into Germany's financial affairs, by calling on Prime Minister Baldwin and discussing the situation with him.

He returned this morning from Lossiemouth, where he had seen Ramsay MacDonald, and explained at the station to a press representative that he had consulted him for the same reason that he had consulted Mr. Asquith and certain representative men in the City of London in order to be sure of the "general acceptability" of the names of certain persons who had been suggested for this expert committee.

"I did not in any sense consult either Mr. Asquith or Ramsay Macdonald as prospective Prime Ministers," said Sir John. "I was merely concerned in trying out what various shades of public opinion thought about certain appointments. Of course this all depends on the fact that the experts are not being appointed by the British Government but by the Reparation Commission, and I have to make a report to the Reparation Commission."

The experts selected will not be announced officially until their names have been laid before the Reparation Commission and that body has not only accepted them but received from the financiers themselves their acceptance of the appointments. It is, however, rumored here that among those likely to be asked are Sir Robert Kindersley, Director of the Bank of England and Chairman of Lazard Brothers, and Lord Inchcape, a leading shipowner and banker.

CALL SEANCES A FRAUD.

Sorbonne Scientists Report on Tests of a Polish Medium.

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—Six Sorbonne professors, after a number of control seances with the Polish medium Guzik, issued a statement today declaring his alleged phenomena in reality only faking. The scientists, whose names are signed to the document, are P. Longevin, professor of physics; W. Rabaud, professor of biology; H. Lauzier, professor of physiology; A. Marcelin, assistant professor of chemistry, and M. Meyerson, assistant director of psysiological psychology, all of the Sorbonne. A complete history of the control seances and the finding of these scientists is published.

At the Sorbonne laboratory of biology, where the seances took place, a table was placed at an angle in a corner of the room and a controller was placed on each side of the medium. All the hands of the party were placed on a phosphorescent band and each of the controllers placed his leg against a leg of the medium. In the darkness something moved the chairs of the controllers and touched them on the shoulders or gave them blows in the ribs.

After the second seance the controllers asked the medium to leave the room, they assert, and proceeded to reproduce the manifestations without his aid. Then they controlled his movements scientifically, with the result that no more developments appeared.

In the conclusions which they published they declared that the medium carried out trickery by permitting the controllers to touch only one of his legs while he kept the other free to push chairs and kick people. Touches on the controllers' shoulders and blows in the ribs were said to have been produced by the fraternal hand of trade union fellowship to organized workers in all countries with which we are at war, or will do so more heartily, than will the A. F. of L."

"Now is the time that American labor must make good that pledge. While the people of our nation are giving generously to various relief funds, this is the distinctive relief work that devolves solely upon America's workers.

"Nor is the fraternal appeal the only one that concerns us. If the German trade union movement fails, the tide of influence will be felt the world around, and with fearful consequence in Central Europe. We in America would have to meet the effects in our home markets and foreign trade. In our collective bargaining conferences we would have to meet the problem of lower standards of work within competitive production centres.

"We learned in the World War how closely the world is knit together by the ties of world organization in science, in education, in finance, in production, in commerce, in labor and practically every relation of life. We owe to those who gave their lives in that war to make constructive use of all information gained in that frightful débâcle.

Says America Alone Can Aid.

"If aid is to reach Germany it must come from America, for the workers of European countries are at present in a lower economic condition than obtained before the war. Unemployment and actual need are all too general for them to make contribution.

"The American Federation of Labor is undertaking to raise a relief fund for the German trade union movement —to be used only to maintain that organization. If only a skeleton organization is sustained, the vital thing will be kept alive until something of economic order is restored.

"We present to you this dire need of the German trade union movement, confident the cry for assistance will appeal to your judgment and your heart.

"All of the information has been considered by the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor, and the council has decided upon this immediate and urgent appeal for money contributions to sustain the German trade union movement. Appeal by authority of the Executive Council is hereby made for contributions from trade unions, whether international, national, State or local, and from trade unionists and friends everywhere in America.

"We cannot in this limited space tell the entire story of the destitution of the German trade union movement, but we have set forth the principal facts as officially communicated to us. We urge the need of immediate action. A world crisis confronts us. We must help or be untrue to our ideals and our convictions.

"Make checks payable to Frank Morrison, Secretary, American Federation of Labor, A. F. of L. Building, Washington, D. C., who will return receipt for the same. The contributions received will be forwarded promptly to the financial offices of the German trade union movement, and upon the completion of the purpose of the fund the receipts will be printed in detail and by whom contributed; also the expenditure and the dates when transmitted to Germany.

"Act promptly and generously.

"By authority of the Executive Council, American Federation of Labor.

"SAMUEL GOMPERS, President.

"Attest:

"FRANK MORRISON, Secretary."

A list of the representatives of the labor organizations and others who have accepted membership on the national committee was made public here. It includes several from New York, among whom are William A. Barnes, President, Engravers' International Steel and Copper Plate Union; Sara A. Conboy, Secretary, United Textile Workers of America; Frank Feeney, President, International Union of Elevator Constructors; Jacob Fischer, President, International Piano and Organ Workers' Union of America; Hugh Frayne, organizer, American Federation of Labor; Michael Green, President, United Hatters of North America; Harry Lang, Jewish Daily Forward; Thomas F. McMahon, President, United Textile Workers of America; Max Pine, Secretary, United Hebrew Trades of the State of New York; Morris Sigman, President, International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union; John Sullivan, International Union of the United Brewery, Flour, Cereal and Soft Drink Workers of America, and Joseph N. Weber, President, American Federation of Musicians.

MARX APPROVES PLAN FOR RHINELAND BANK

Cabinet Appeals to Germans to Pay Taxes and Thus Save the Country.

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BERLIN, Dec. 19.—The Cabinet Council today agreed to the establishment of a Rhenish Westphalian note bank. Only a few minor details on which it hopes to reach an agreement remain unsettled.

Further, the Cabinet Council finally passed the second emergency tax ordinance, which will be promulgated tomorrow and become theoretically binding on German taxpayers. It provides for completion of advance payment of the 1924 taxes and is meant to bring in as much money as possible and at once to the empty Treasury. The Government points out that if the taxes are not honestly and properly paid Germany will be forced to have recourse again to note presses, resume highspeed inflation and sink back into unescapable currency chaos.

The Cabinet discussed a project for the denationalization of the railroads, but came to no decision except to discuss the reform with the Governments of the Federal States. The project under advisement was worked out by Herr Henrichs, director of the Deutsche Werke, which administers the Government arsenals converted after the revolution under compulsory disarmament to commercial and manufacturing enterprises.

Herr Henrich's plan is to detach the State railroads from State operation, make them entirely independent and operate them on a strictly profit-making basis. Particular interest attaches to the Cabinet's decision in view of the insistent report that Hugh Stinnes is seeking control of the State railroads in order to add them to his various enterprises.

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COLOGNE, Dec. 19.—Louis Hamon and two other Rhineland bankers who have just returned from Berlin state that their discussion of the proposed Rhenish Westphalia Gold Note Bank took a favorable course, though the Berlin Cabinet made certain conditions which will have to be discussed with the French in Coblenz. It was particularly desired that this Rhenish Gold Bank should in no way prejudice the prospects of the German Central Gold Note Bank and with this the Rhineland bankers were in agreement.

LONDON GROWS ANXIOUS OVER AFGHAN TROUBLE

Kabul's Failure to Apprehend Murderers on Indian Border Causes Strained Relations.

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ALLAHABAD, India, Dec. 19.—The news from the northwestern frontier shows the gravity of the situation created by the depredations of a gang of murderers harbored by the Sanghu Kheyl in Afghanistan, within easy striking distance of British territory. The continued immunity of this gang has made necessary extraordinary precautions for the protection of British officers and their wives, the consequence being that the troops are prevented from carrying on their training, as they have to be employed on picket and guard duty. Some of the members of the gang are believed to be Afghan subjects and others are from independent territory. One of the murderers of Major Finnis, who was shot near Manikhwas on Nov. 30, is a member of the Afghan militia force, a body consisting of some 300 British tribal subjects.

Another factor is the presence in Tirah of men who receive regular allowances from Afghanistan for exercising influence on the Indian tribes.

The immediate object of the gang is to capture a British hostage in order to obtain pardon.

The Pioneer points out that the Ameer's interests lie with the British, who are traditionally friendly to Afghanistan, and that he should therefore use every means in his power to remove the disturbing factor and secure the arrest of the murderers.

The Bolsheviki, on the other hand, are carrying on intrigues against him in Northern Afghanistan and possess a powerful army in Turkestan, which constitutes a standing menace to Afghan independence.

LONDON, Dec. 19 (Associated Press). —The turbulent northwestern frontier of India is again causing apprehension to the British Government, the result of strained relations with Afghanistan. Unless a satisfactory settlement is reached the British Minister to Kabul will be withdrawn, it is declared.

For several weeks the British have been exerting pressure upon the Afghan Government in order to bring about the punishment of the fanatical bandits responsible for a series of murders of British officers and women at widely separated outposts along the frontier during the last year. Three of the victims have been women, and the public, both in India and England, is incensed against the outrages, which have gone unpunished.

Although the crimes are not directly traceable to Afghan Government agents, the desperadoes who raided the British side of the frontier have taken refuge in Afghan territory and have even been welcomed and sheltered at the capital, the Moslem inhabitants there, according to reports received by the British, being ready to pay tribute to anybody who takes the life of a Christian.

The condition in Kabul is so acute that the British women attached to the legation and the one American woman there were sent out of the country by motor car and have arrived at Peshawar.

At Bombay a shipment of arms destined for Kabul has been stopped, in accordance with the Anglo-Afghan treaty, which provides for such action in case of unfriendliness between the countries.

The possibility of a punitive expedition into Afghanistan is denied by British officials. Campaigning there is beset with the greatest difficulties, and has not always been successful, but if a settlement is not forthcoming the Khyber Pass will probably be closed to all trade so long as the frontier murders remain unpunished.

The British believe the diplomatic pressure which is being exerted against Kabul is producing results. The Amir has sent a column of troops to the Landi Kotal district to co-operate with the Indian troops in searching for the murderers, who are believed to be in retreat at Mundatti.

Kabul is almost denuded of troops for the expedition, and there is great excitement over the new compulsory recruiting scheme under which one man in eight is conscripted for the army.

Doubt Raisuli is Dead.

TANGIER, Morocco, Dec. 19.—The reports in circulation of the death by poison of the bandit leader Raisuli are not credited in official and military circles here nor by the Arab information services. It is known, however, that Raisuli has been ill with dropsy since the beginning of November and is said to have been growing steadily worse, with public prayers being offered for his recovery. The Spanish authorities offered to send him a physician, but he refused, preferring a native doctor.

GOMPERS ASKS HELP FOR GERMAN LABOR

American Federation Chief Appeals for Funds to Keep Trade Union Movement Alive.

POINTS TO THE RED MENACE

And Says Only American Workers Can Prevent Wreck of Unionism in Germany.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—An appeal to all organizations of labor to help the German trade union movement maintain itself as the "defender of democracy against the terrific onslaughts of Bolshevik propaganda" was made today by President Gompers and the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor. A national committee, on which representatives of scores of labor organizations and others prominent in the American labor movement have agreed to serve, will direct the campaign.

In the appeal Mr. Gompers and his Executive Council declare that recent information demonstrates that the depreciation of the German mark and the general economic collapse have left the German trade union movement bankrupt, and that outside help must be sent if it is to be maintained.

The Russian Bolshevik influences, it is stated, are endeavoring to take advantage of the situation, and unless immediate action is taken the "program for Red domination" will be made much easier. The statement also is made that the German trade union movement is the last organized force in Germany which can make an effective stand against the monarchist leaders and imperialist autocracy against which America joined forces with the allied European powers in the World War.

Text of Labor's Appeal.

Following is the text of the appeal:

"To the Officers and Members of International Unions, National Unions, State Federations, City Central Bodies, Local Unions, Trade Unionists and Friends.

"Dear Sirs and Brothers: A disaster threatens the trade union movement of the world. The German trade union movement is bankrupt. Union funds have been wiped out of existence by the depreciation of the mark to the point where it is worthless. Without funds trade union offices cannot exist or operate; union officials must give their time to earning even a bare livelihood; communication within the movement stops; the trade union, which is essentially organized personal co-operation, disintegrates.

"Due to the catastrophic drop in the value of the mark, the German Federation of Trade Unions and affiliated trade union bodies have been forced to discharge practically all employes. One by one official journals have suspended publication. Poor will mimeographed notices maintained some degree of cohesion, but now even this is being discontinued through lack of funds.

"When communication through union centres stops, unified action among trade unionists in defense of trade union standards will cease. How serious the consequences to German wage earners will be is manifest through information relating to efforts to lengthen hours of work.

Work of Forty Years Menaced.

"If the German labor movement is not assisted in this time of dire need the achievements of forty years of struggle will be wiped out.

"A plain statement of these facts was officially communicated to the American Federation of Labor in a joint letter signed by L. L. Jouhaux of France, C. Mertens of Belgium, Th. Leipart of Germany and J. Oudegeest and Johann Sassenbach, Secretaries of the International Federation of Trade Unions.

"Sustaining information has come to the office of the American Federation of Labor through individuals recently returned from Germany, and from General Henry T. Allen, who was in charge of the American Army of Occupation in Germany.

"We have a duty to help the German trade union movement maintain itself as the defender of democracy against the terrific onslaughts of Bolshevik propaganda, which continue incessantly with the direct backing of the Bolshevik machine in Moscow, the more dangerous because of its proximity. The German trade union movement has stood courageously against the Bolshevik attack, but with its machinery of organization broken down and out of business the Red effort to capture German labor as a means to furthering the program for Red domination will be a much easier matter.

Sees Danger of Despotism.

"Even more potential, the German trade union movement is the only important organized force in Germany that can come to the defense of the republic and defeat the monarchists. If Germany should revert to despotism a great victory, bought at a terrible cost, would be in great part lost. It was our war aim to destroy the imperialist autocracy. We have a duty to sustain the German labor movement as a force for holding the freedom won for the German people by the American and allied sacrifice.

"The American labor movement was united in its support of the war against the Imperial German Government and we are an important and essential factor in bringing that war to a successful end. After our Republic had entered the war the convention of the American Federation of Labor decided that, while we could have no meetings with representatives of the people of enemy countries during the war, 'when victory is achieved none will be quicker to extend the fraternal hand of trade union fellowship to organized workers in all countries with which we are at war, or will do so more heartily, than will the A. F. of L.'

"Now is the time that American labor must make good that pledge. While the people of our nation are giving generously to various relief funds, this is the distinctive relief work that devolves solely upon America's workers.

"Nor is the fraternal appeal the only one that concerns us. If the German trade union movement fails, the tide of influence will be felt the world around, and with fearful consequence in Central Europe. We in America would have to meet the effects in our home markets and foreign trade. In our collective bargaining conferences we would have to meet the problem of lower standards of work within competitive production centres.

"We learned in the World War how closely the world is knit together by the ties of world organization in science, in education, in finance, in production, in commerce, in labor and practically every relation of life. We owe to those who gave their lives in that war to make constructive use of all information gained in that frightful débâcle.

Says America Alone Can Aid.

"If aid is to reach Germany it must come from America, for the workers of European countries are at present in a lower economic condition than obtained before the war. Unemployment and actual need are all too general for them to make contribution.

"The American Federation of Labor is undertaking to raise a relief fund for the German trade union movement —to be used only to maintain that organization. If only a skeleton organization is sustained, the vital thing will be kept alive until something of economic order is restored.

"We present to you this dire need of the German trade union movement, confident the cry for assistance will appeal to your judgment and your heart.

"All of the information has been considered by the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor, and the council has decided upon this immediate and urgent appeal for money contributions to sustain the German trade union movement. Appeal by authority of the Executive Council is hereby made for contributions from trade unions, whether international, national, State or local, and from trade unionists and friends everywhere in America.

"We cannot in this limited space tell the entire story of the destitution of the German trade union movement, but we have set forth the principal facts as officially communicated to us. We urge the need of immediate action. A world crisis confronts us. We must help or be untrue to our ideals and our convictions.

"Make checks payable to Frank Morrison, Secretary, American Federation of Labor, A. F. of L. Building, Washington, D. C., who will return receipt for the same. The contributions received will be forwarded promptly to the financial offices of the German trade union movement, and upon the completion of the purpose of the fund the receipts will be printed in detail and by whom contributed; also the expenditure and the dates when transmitted to Germany.

"Act promptly and generously.

"By authority of the Executive Council, American Federation of Labor.

"SAMUEL GOMPERS, President.

"Attest:

"FRANK MORRISON, Secretary."

A list of the representatives of the labor organizations and others who have accepted membership on the national committee was made public here. It includes several from New York, among whom are William A. Barnes, President, Engravers' International Steel and Copper Plate Union; Sara A. Conboy, Secretary, United Textile Workers of America; Frank Feeney, President, International Union of Elevator Constructors; Jacob Fischer, President, International Piano and Organ Workers' Union of America; Hugh Frayne, organizer, American Federation of Labor; Michael Green, President, United Hatters of North America; Harry Lang, Jewish Daily Forward; Thomas F. McMahon, President, United Textile Workers of America; Max Pine, Secretary, United Hebrew Trades of the State of New York; Morris Sigman, President, International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union; John Sullivan, International Union of the United Brewery, Flour, Cereal and Soft Drink Workers of America, and Joseph N. Weber, President, American Federation of Musicians.

THREE TRIED IN PARIS FOR ABDUCTING STATUE

Priest and Antiquaries Are Accused in a Deal for Art Which De Motte Sold in America.

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—An echo of the faked statue controversy which scandalized France last Summer and only came to an end with the tragic death of George Joseph Demotte was heard this afternoon, when three men were arraigned at Malun charged with "abducting" the thirteenth century statue of the Virgin and Infant from the Church of St. Sauveur. The arraigned men were Abbe Jot, the pastor of St. Sauveur; M. Mariani, a local antiquary, and M. Joret, the Paris antiquary, who was sometimes an agent for M. Demotte.

The statue was not produced at the trial as an exhibit, having been sold to America for the supposed sum of half a million dollars. Even the name of the present possessor of the statue is not known, this being a secret that M. Demotte carried with him to the grave. And this fact, which causes the local authorities to fear that the statue may never be located and returned, is sure to make the trial a hard one for the defendants.

Abbe Jot obviously displayed a guilty conscience today and tried to hide behind the allegation that he never read the inventory of his tiny church because he did not possess the original document. The antiquary Mariani in turn tried to hide behind the priest's robes, alleging he believed any transaction the priest might enter into must be all right.

GREEK KING SAILS, ALMOST IN TEARS

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for the Deputies' oath "faith in and devotion to the interests of the country," instead of "devotion to the constitutional King," as heretofore.

VENIZELOS AWAITS EVENTS.

Paris Believes He Will Return if Demand Is Urgent Enough.

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—Interviewed in his apartment near the Etoile this afternoon, ex-Premier Venizelos maintained his refusal to make any statement regarding recent events in Greece. However, it may be stated that he is watchfully waiting and is in close touch with the leaders of his party in the Greek capital. Within a few days he will make a decision as to his future course, but he apparently wishes to make sure that if he goes back to become Premier or First President of the Greek Republic it will be with prospects of remaining longer than the last time his star was in the ascendant in Athens, only to set again.

All in all, it is probable that he will return. He certainly will do so if the request is urgent enough.

On the face of the returns the Liberals—that is the Venizelists—won a sweeping victory in the elections which have resulted in the departure of King George. But it is worth recalling that the Greek Liberal Party has been split, one faction being Constitutional Monarchists and the other out-and-out Republicans. It was in consequence of the action of the latter that the King left the country.

But only a few weeks ago, when asked for his advice, M. Venizelos wrote a letter to a friend in Athens giving it as his opinion that in order to avoid possible difficulties for Greece it was perhaps best to go very slowly in the process of replacing the monarchy with a republic, until it became evident that a large majority of Greeks wished that turn of affairs. However, it now appeared that the Republicans, who seem to have with them Colonels Plastiras and Gonatas, who seized control of affairs in November, 1922, and executed the former Ministers, intend to establish a republic in Greece, and without doubt they are anxious for the aid of Venizelos, whose friends would probably wish to make him President rather than Premier.

It remains to be seen whether the Republican branch of the Liberal Party has a majority in the new Parliament. That is probably what Mr. Venizelos is waiting to find out.

GRECO-ALBANIAN BREAK.

Greek Minister Quits Durazzo, Failing to Get Janina Apology.

ROME, Dec. 19.—The Greek Minister to Albania has left Durazzo, according to a dispatch to the Epoca from Bari, his departure being attributed to the failure of the Albanian Government to satisfy categorically the demands made by Greece for satisfaction following the publication of pictorial pamphlets on the massacre of the Italian members of the Boundary Commission at Janina.

It was reported today that after the departure of the Greek Minister the Albanian Government sent a note to the Greek Government promising to punish the guilty for the publication of the pamphlets.

ATHENS, Dec. 19 (Associated Press). —An attempt upon the life of Colonel Rotsaris, Greek delegate on the International Commission for the Delimitation of the Greco-Albanian Frontier, recalling the murder of General Tellini, the Italian delegate, last Summer, is reported to have been made on the Janina road.

According to the official report of the affair, Colonel Botsaris was returning to Janina with a Greek officer when he was informed that an ambush had been laid on the road he was traveling. The Greek delegate and his escort investigated the report and discovered that the road had been barred further on by felled trees and piled with stones, but no trace of any one could be found in the vicinity.

It is believed at Janina that the supposed ambush was the work of an Albanian band.

RED TROOPS REVOLT IN EAST SIBERIA

Those in Vladivostok and Other Areas Are Now Acting With the Whites.

REBEL AGAINST TAXATION

Religious Persecution Also a Contributing Cause of Widespread Mutiny.

HARBIN, Dec. 19 (Associated Press). —A mutiny of Soviet Russian troops, beginning last Monday, is reported from Vladivostok, Nikolaievsk and Khabarovsk. The mutinous Reds, the reports say, are being assisted by partisans of the White, or anti-Soviet faction in Siberia.

The populations of the cities named are said to have been driven to desperation by the ruthless collection of food taxes, religious persecution and the generally harsh official Soviet regime.

At Khabarovsk infantry and cavalry regiments rose and killed their commissars. Then they joined the Wite faction. The troops at Nikolaievsk, profiting by the withdrawal of some of the forces toward Khabarovsk, began plotting an uprising Dec. 3.

Soviet emissaries secretly surrounded the house where the conspirators were laying their plans and captured them. They were sentenced to death. Then mutinous Soviet soldiers stormed the prison, releasing the conspirators and others and retreating to the timbered regions near by.

The Ussuri Cossack Colonel Shiraeff, supported by the peasants of the region, long has been harassing the Soviet troops in the Maritime and Amur provinces. Troubles also are reported to have arisen in Trans-Baikala on account of the requisitioning of food from the peasantry.

The Japanese Consular officers are reported to be leaving Vladivostok.

OPPOSITION LEADERS ARRESTED IN RUSSIA

Soviet Complains That 'No Persuasion Was Sufficient to Put Them Straight.'

MOSCOW, Dec. 19.—It is announced that about ten members of the opposition group, known as "Laboring Truth," have been arrested in connection with the discussion of internal party affairs. M. Yaroslavsky, secretary of the party's Control Commission, said the men had been arrested because "no persuasion was sufficient to put them straight." He denied rumors that the group consisted of 600 men, but that it aggregated a mere handful of persons who aimed at disorganizing the Communist Party.

The group, according to Yaroslavsky, was led by M. Bogdanoff, in the past prominent in the party as a theoretician, who is accused of bourgeoisie leanings. Discussion by the party in every city and hamlet in Russia is said to have revealed wide-spread favor of democratization, but some of the spokesmen in the party are declared to be demanding the election of a new Central Committee.

In order to neutralize the ill-effect of the party difference upon non-party workmen, the correspondent of the Pravda proposes an immediate campaign to acquaint the non-party masses of the inner state of affairs and the real meaning of the discussion, and to draw many new members to the party. The party leaders take the stand that open discussion of the differences show the strength of the party and a general desire that there shall be no split in it.

HIGH PRICES ARE THEME IN FRENCH CHAMBER

Deputies Adjourn After a Hot Debate on a Proposal to Raise State Employes' Indemnities.

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—The Chamber of Deputies is finding embarrassment in the question of increasing the indemnity for the high cost of living for State employes. It is more of a problem for the Government than almost any other question which has been raised in recent months. Today for the third successive afternoon the matter was debated amid constant interruptions and accusations. The plight of the Finance Minister, M. de Lasteyrie, gave joy to the critics of the Government's policy in lending money to Poland and the Little Entente countries. When he argued that there was no money in the Treasury with which to provide the 1,500 francs bonus demanded by the employes the Socialists shouted that there was plenty of money to provide Poland with arms.

Even the moderate Left, led by Loucheur and Herriot, is disposed to go further toward meeting the officials' demands than M. de Lasteyrie. He is willing to make new allowances to men with large families to a total of 200,000,000 francs, but no more, and in his fight to keep his already overburdened budget and the staggering franc from toppling over he was forced this afternoon to make the matter one of confidence in the whole Government. At that point the Chamber adjourned its discussion till tomorrow, for the situation is not without an element of danger which makes reflection wise.

It is worthy of remark that among those demanding an increase are such State employes as letter-carriers who, when they are married and have at least three children, receive at the present rate of exchange $370 a year, on which sum even the thriftiest can scarcely live.

BONAR LAW LEFT £51,397.

Practically All of Former Premier's Estate Goes to His Children.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—Bonar Law's personal estate has been valued provisionally at £51,397 in addition to some real estate.

Of this £5,131 represents railroad investments in the United States and £8,454 property in Canada.

Subject to certain directions, all the estate is left to his four children.

Ladd Asks Data on Russian Claims.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Complete data upon claims held by American citizens against the Government of Russia was requested of Secretary Hughes in a resolution introduced today by Senator Ladd, Republican, North Dakota.

HUGHES REVEALS NEW RED ORDERS

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work among the millions of American proletarians.

"For more intensive revolutionary work we suggest that following instructions be adhered to:

"'1. All the activity of the party must at the present time be directed among the workers of the large industries, such as the railroad workers, miners, weavers, steel workers and similar workers engaged in the principal industries of the United States.

"'2. Among these workers in the factories, mills, plantations, clubs, &c., there must be organized units of ten. The head of this unit of ten must, in so far as possible, be an old, trusted member of the party, who must once a week, together with his ten, study the Communist program and other revolutionary literature.

"'3. These units of ten must be organized by occupation and nationality.

"'4. The head of the unit must know intimately each individual member of his ten, his chafacter, habits, the degree of his revolutionism, &c., and report everything direct to the Central Committee of the party.

"'5. Each of these unites of ten must have their own fighting unit of not less than three men, who are appointed by the leader of the unit with the approval of the Central Committee of the party. The members of the fighting unit, in addition to all other matters, must once a week be given instructions in shooting and receive some instruction in pioneer work (sapper work).

"'6. All the unit leaders of each district must meet once every two months to discuss the progress of their work and their plans for further activities in the presence of a member of the Central Committee of the party.

"'We are firmly convinced that work in the direction designated by us will give enormous results in the sense of preparing thousands of new propagandists, future leaders of the military forces of the party and faithful fighters during the social revolution.

"'With reference to the organization by the W. P. A. of the Federated Farmer-Labor Party, the Communist International expresses its complete satisfaction and its approval to the Central Committee of the party for its boldness and tact in putting this idea into effect. We hope that the party will step by step conquer (embrace) the proletarian forces of America, and in the not distant future raise the red flag over the White House.'"

TCHITCHERIN SEES WAR; REGRETS OUR STAND

He Tells Correspondents Britain Menaces Afghanistan and France Is a General Disturber.

By WALTER DURANTY.

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MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—The Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Tchitcherin, today expressed the regret of the Soviet Government over America's rebuff to the Russian offer "in the present grave situation." He said that "it would have been a great step forward toward a settlement of world conditions, toward real peace, if the United States had been able to come to an agreement with our Government.

"But Mr. Charles Hughes is still using his influence against such a result. He says we must give back the private property of American nationals and recognise our debts to America before negotiations are possible. At that rate we might ask that our counter-claims for damages resultant from American intervention in the internal affairs of Russia should also be settled before negotiations.

"He says also that negotiations are impossible until Moscow ceases to be the centre of propaganda. But New York is also a centre where many revolutionary parties have their executives. There is no Russian Soviet Government support for Communist propaganda in the United States. Even when Martens was expelled, there was no proof brought forward. So we declare that we do not and will not ever give support to revolutionary parties in the United States, and it is on this principle that we demand mutual non-intervention in each other's internal affairs.

"We see section a of American public opinion favorable to a resumption of friendly relations with Russia, gradually growing, and we set our hopes thereupon."

Says Britain Threatens War in East.

The Foreign Minister made these statements in the course of an audience granted to representatives of the foreign press, in which he made some other startling assertions. He said:

"The British Government has sent an ultimatum to Afghanistan, threatening war and demanding that Afghanistan break off diplomatic relations with our Government.

"This action by the British Government creates a storm centre of the greatest gravity."

M. Tchitcherin declared that this information had reached Moscow today, not from the Soviet Chargé d'Affaires, Soloviof, in Kabul, the Afghan capital, with which communications are slow and difficult, but from the headquarters of the Russian information service at Tashkent in Turkestan. He has every reason, however, to trust its accuracy, he said, although it curtails the details of the ultimatum, unknown save on the points before mentioned, and was prompted by the recent murder of British officials on the Afghan border, which the British alleged were committed by Afghans.

"Britain evidently is trying," said Tchitcherin, "to re-establish the virtual protectorate over Afghanistan existing prior to the accession to the throne of the present Ameer. That is the meaning of the demand for a rupture of relations with Russia. The present Ameer won his independence in 1919 by a successful war with the British, who for some time past have been making obvious preparations to resume aggressive measures.

"Thus, there is a force of seventy-four aeroplanes now concentrated on the Afghan border, and during the last two years the British have completed a railroad from the great military depot of Peshawar, through the Khyber Pass to a point north of Landikhana, only a day's march from the Afghan border and a week from Kabul, whereas the nearest Russian Railhead is at Khusk, fully a month's march to Kabul through much more difficult country.

"It is a remarkable step to be taken by a Government which is on the eve of retirement, and leaves a heritage of the gravest character for its successor."

Asked whether Russia would consider a British invasion of Afghan territory a "hostile act," the Foreign Minister replied that he was unable to say, but again emphasised the "extremely serious danger, whose consequences cannot yet be fully seen."

Declares France Is a Disturber.

Then he gave a brief review of recent events in Europe, contrasting the efforts toward peace of the Soviet Government with the unfriendly attitude of the British Government—first the May ultimatum, then the Rakowski incident, then the "unusual language" of the British Foreign Under Secretary McNeill and the cold treatment of Rakowski—and the Government of France.

"France seems bent on disturbing conditions in Eastern Europe," he said. "When we opened negotiations with Poland to secure guarantees of non-intervention in Germany and unrestricted transit of our goods to Germany in order to make trade free from politics"—a surprising statement from one of the leaders of the Marxist school of economic interpretation of history—"the Poles at first were favorable, but later refused as the result of French pressure.

"The French representatives adopted the same tactics at Riga and Reval. Now, when our negotiations with Mussolini are progressing favorably, we know the French Ambassador at Rome, M. Barrère, our old adversary at Lausanne, is trying to create every hindrance."

M. Tchitcherin concluded that "the situation is such as justifies the gravest anxiety for world peace in the immediate future."

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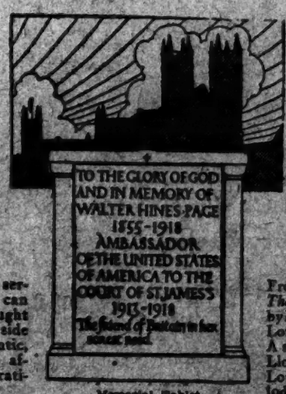
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WALLACE ATTACKED ON ARKANSAS ROADS

Caraway Charges in Senate That His Department Long Had Evidence of Scandal.

SAYS NOTHING WAS DONE

Any Crookedness, He Declares, Had "Sympathetic Co-operation" in Washington.

ROBINSON JOINS ASSAULT

Admits There Has Been Extravagance, and Perhaps Graft "In Some Cases."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Arkansas road scandal was aired on the floor of the Senate this afternoon when Senators Robinson and Caraway of Arkansas charged that the Department of Agriculture is largely responsible for the chaotic highway situation in their State. Mr. Caraway, who frankly admitted that many Arkansas land owners have been ruined by the road taxes, declared that he had "every reason to believe that any crooked deal that ever was started in Arkansas had sympathetic co-operation here in Washington."

Senator Caraway said that he personally made the above charge to Secretary Wallace, and that at his instance evidence had been placed at the disposal of the department involving one of the Federal road engineers in Arkansas, it being alleged that this engineer had given certain road officials in Arkansas to understand that the Federal engineers "were not working for the salaries the Government paid."

The promptness with which President Coolidge acted in this Arkansas road scandal was commended on all sides today.

The President is said to have taken personal command of the situation. This was the impression left with certain Arkansans who today sought information at the Department of Agriculture. One of these men, a member of Congress, was informed, it was said, that "the President is in complete control."

It has not yet been determined who will make the investigation of the Arkansas roads for the President. One report is that it may be entrusted to high ranking officers of the Corps of Engineers of the regular army. This report, however, lacks official verification as does another to the effect that the Department of Justice may be the agency selected. The impression is, however, that Secretary Wallace will direct the investigation which under the orders of the President must cover all phases of the situation including charges involving the sale of Federal aid on a 10 per cent. basis, as well as the confiscation of farm lands.

Congressional Inquiry May Result.

For some weeks certain Senators have been quietly looking into this Federal highway business. One of these Senators, a friend and supporter of the President, is a member of the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads and when the time comes he is going to ask some very pointed question on the administration of the whole road program. The investigation now about to start will, in the opinion of some Senators, be extended to include other States besides Arkansas. It is possible that a Congressional inquiry, which would be independent of the President's inquiry, may be proposed in a joint resolution.

Senator Caraway took the floor as soon as the Senate convened today. He declared he had never approved the Arkansas highway laws passed in the Brough Administration, laws which levied the entire road cost against the land, as a result of which, he declared, "many injustices were perpetrated and many people were practically ruined by their taxes."

"I have protested as vigorously as I could," he continued. "I have known of injustices. I might say, although I am not complaining of my own particular situation, I have suffered myself. I know that the present way of building highways in Arkansas, with the demands of the Federal Government, makes it absolutely impossible to continue a system that will result in very many miles of highways being built. It makes the cost prohibitory, lends itself to inefficiency, and certainly, in many cases, to dishonesty."

Senator Caraway next referred to the Federal engineer, against whom, he said, evidence had been submitted to Secretary Wallace.

"It became almost impossible," he said, "to build roads at all, and nearly impossible to do it honestly. I saw a written order for the removal of the engineer to whom I have referred, but as soon as I went away the order was countermanded.

Attacks Secretary Wallace.

"Now I come to what I took the floor to say. I am informed and do not doubt that the President has written a letter to the Secretary of Agriculture telling him to hold up the allotment of the Federal aid to Arkansas until an investigation can be made. I know there have been things done in the building of highways in Arkansas which I never did approve, and which I do not approve now. I went to the Secretary of Agriculture and offered him the evidence, and tried to get him to work out some way so that we could build highways honestly and economically, and I got promises which he never fulfilled.

"The President says he wants the road business in Arkansas investigated, and I have no objection to it being done. I tried to get it done a long time ago, but if it is done I would like it made by honest men, and I know the Secretary of Agriculture does not want it done that way. I have every reason to believe that any crooked deal that ever was started in Arkansas had sympathetic co-operation here in Washington, and I said as much to the Secretary of Agriculture, because, when the investigation is made, if it ever is, it will lay its hands on his department and he has had that information quite a long while.

"The whole highway system is wrong. I serve notice here and now, as far as I can go, that there shall never be another dollar appropriated for Federal highways until we get some kind of assurance that it is to be honestly administered. I am perfectly willing to see this thing through. I have protested as vigorously as I could. I have known of injustices and I have suffered from them myself.

Senator Robinson, who followed his colleague, said it was true that "in many instances the road taxes have been oppressive and in some instances almost confiscatory."

"There has been, in some cases, extravagance," he said. "There may be graft in some cases. But there can be no justification for the course pursued by the Department of Agriculture."

The department had, he said, refused to give to the State officials of Arkansas the report of the investigation made more than a year ago by the Bureau of Roads. The information, he added, was even denied to Mr. Hemmell, the Republican National Committeeman from Arkansas. He quoted Mr. Hemmell as saying to him a few days ago that all his efforts to get this information had been fruitless.

Senator Robinson quoted "the leading Republicans of Arkansas" as having denounced the attitude of the Department of Agriculture as "intolerant, arbitrary and unreasonable." The leading Republican referred to is said to be Mr. Hemmell.

SUN SCORES AMERICA FOR ACTION AT CANTON

Washington Replies That Protection of Customs Is Required Under Treaty.

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HONGKONG, Dec. 19.—Sun Yat-sen's ultimatum in regard to the Canton customs expired today, but up to the present nothing has happened. Sun declares that he will avoid force, but has other strings to pull. Yesterday he issued an appeal "to my friends, the American people," in which he said:

"The revenue belongs to us by every right known to God and man. We must stop that money from going to Peking to buy arms to kill us, just as your forefathers stopped taxation going to the English coffers by throwing English tea into Boston Harbor. Has the country of Washington and Lincoln forsworn its faith in freedom and turned from liberator to oppressor? Ask the officers and men of the American warships to ponder this before they shoot us."

Today's Canton Gazette asks what the presence of six American, five British, two Japanese, two French and one Portuguese warships means to peaceful Canton. It is bound, it says, to be pretty embarrassing to find that they have nothing to do except make a mighty gesture and then, under cover of darkness, disappear.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Sun Yat-sen's campaign to overthrow the Peking Government has been marked by renewed efforts to increase his following by arousing Chinese sentiment against foreign Governments and their nationals in China, according to advices reaching Washington.

The motives of Minister Schurman have been attacked repeatedly, particularly since American destroyers with other foreign war craft arrived at Canton to prevent seizure of the Kwangtung customs surplus.

Protection of the customs service has been assumed as an international obligation under treaties with the Peking Government. Sending of the foreign warships to Canton, it was said, was a precautionary movement in line with the obligations assumed by the various Governments and in accordance with treaty provisions.

MRS. ROTHENBERG RETURNS

Free on Bond, She and Her Sister Came Here to Consult Lawyer.

For several hours yesterday Mrs. Charles R. Rothenberg of Newark, N. J., and her sister, Mrs. Esther Litt of Brooklyn, under indictment with Burtsell Branaugh of Windham, N. Y., for the strangling of Mrs. Rothenberg's 7-year-old son, were in a quandary as to whether they could leave Greene County, in which they were indicted, on $35,000 bail each, accepted the night before in Troy by Justice Wesley O. Howard of the Supreme Court. As they were preparing to leave for this city they were informed that District Attorney Charles O. Coffin of Greene County announced that it was his understanding that Justice Howard stipulated they were not to leave the county.

Defense counsel learned that Justice Howard had not placed any such stipulation on the bonds. It was not until nearly midnight that Sol Litt, husband of one of the women, admitted in his haberdashery at 871 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, that he had been informed over the telephone that the women had arrived here on a late train, and had gone to the office of a lawyer for a conference.

BRITAIN EXPECTS EARLY LABOR RULE

Macdonald May Succeed Baldwin in January, but His Tenure May Be Brief.

PREFERENCE TO BE AN ISSUE

Conservatives Also Talk of Clinging to Protection—Lloyd George Denies Tariff View.

LONDON, Dec. 19 (Associated Press).—Political circles generally seem to have become convinced that the Baldwin Government cannot survive the debate on the Speech from the Throne when the Parliament meets next month, and the feeling among the Conservatives against hauling down the protection flag is growing stronger. The sentiment is that since the Ministers must be defeated anyway, they should go down with colors flying.

The King's speech, which is framed by the Cabinet, is likely to treat gingerly with the tariff issue in general, but the supporters of the Government will be disappointed if the Cabinet does not evidence a purpose to go on with the suggestion for preferential duties within the Empire agreed upon by the Imperial Conference. The Liberals for the most part believe that agreements made by the Government with the Premiers of the Dominions must be subject to the constitutional rights of the House of Commons to pass upon them.

The question of what will happen to the Imperial preference plan thus is the subject of much current debate, the Conservatives contending that in the interests of what they call continuity of Government and good faith toward the dominions any new government would be bound to ratify the acts of the Imperial conference.

Premier Massey of New Zealand, who sailed yesterday for home, offended the Liberal press by voicing the view that Great Britain was in honor bound to carry out the resolutions of the conference. Some of the newspapers accuse him of trying to interfere with and influence the British Government's policies.

King George will open the new Parliament in state on Jan. 15, when the royal speech will be delivered.

Sir John Bradbury, British member of the Reparation Commission, has issued a statement denying that his visit with Ramsay Macdonald, the Labor leader, was in any way associated with the expectation that Mr. Macdonald is the prospective Premier.

The statement says that Sir John, who is in England to consult with several statesmen regarding the appointment of British representatives on the commission's committees of inquiry, has prepared a list of men adjudged suitable for the work. This list he is submitting to several persons, including Prime Minister Baldwin, Mr. Asquith and Mr. Macdonald.

Lloyd George Denies Tariff View.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—Mr. Lloyd George has sent to a correspondent an absolute denial of a rumor that he had made up his mind, if he had not been forestalled by Mr. Baldwin, to come out for protection on his return from America.

It was alleged that he was about to declare that his experiences in Canada and America had caused him to modify his fiscal views. Statements such as these were made from many platforms during the general election campaign, notably by Lieut.-Col. Amery, First Lord of the Admiralty, one of the chief protectionist champions.

Mr. Lloyd George's correspondent, however, called his attention to a speech made by Lord Bathurst at Cirencester, and the ex-Premier, referring to it, wrote:

"The statement is a pure invention. There is not a shred of truth in it. I reiterated my views on the question of free trade in a couple of speeches which I delivered this year before I went to America. I have not wavered in the least from that position.

"As I have heard from members who came up to town yesterday from their constituencies that this falsehood has been freely circulated, I am sending this letter to the press."

BARS RUDD DIVORCE.

London Judge Refuses to Recognize State of Washington Decree.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—Justice Herridge refused today to recognize as valid in England the divorce granted by the State of Washington, U. S. A., to H. M. Rudd against his wife Alice of Withernsea, Yorkshire. Mrs. Rudd petitioned for a decree for restitution of conjugal rights. Counsel for Mrs. Rudd explained that the Washington decree was granted on Nov. 23, 1920, and that on June 30, 1921, Rudd remarried. It was not until September of that year that Mrs. Rudd heard of the proceedings, although this allowed to her time to move to set the decree aside.

"It seems to me to be an extraordinary proposition that you could set aside a decree of divorce after remarriage has taken place," said Justice Herridge. In giving judgment, Justice Herridge held that the facts showed that Rudd had not retained his domicile in the State of Washington. As to whether a woman could suddenly find herself divorced without notice that an attempt was being made to divorce her, the Justice said:

"Such a proposition shocks me, but it may be it is good law. I believe the law of this country to be that a person must at least have notice of proceedings in foreign countries before those proceedings can be binding upon her. In my view this decree did not dissolve the marriage, and I therefore make a decree for the restitution of the conjugal rights which the wife asks for."

HELD AS A DENTAL QUACK.

E. E. Appleton's Defense That Employs Did the Work Punctured.

Edward E. Appleton, owner of the Appleton Dentist Company of 150 East Eighty-second Street, was held yesterday in Harlem Court by Magistrate Sweetser in $1,000 bail for trial on a charge of practising dentistry without a license. The case was prosecuted by Deputy Attorney General Maurice H. Gottlieb. Appleton was defended by ex-Deputy Attorney General Samuel Berger.

Appleton asserted that he himself did not practise dentistry but had in his employ a licensed dentist who did the work. This employe appeared later in Gottlieb's office and made an affidavit denying he had ever handled a case in the company's office.

In the same court "Dr." A. B. Workman, a negro, will face a similar charge this morning. "Dr." Workman was reported to have done a lucrative business at 140 West 133d Street.

Assistant District Attorney Michael A. Ford yesterday examined two witnesses. Both said they had paid $90 for treatments which had proved so beneficial that they had written testimonial letters for the alleged quacks under inquiry. The witnesses were Mrs. Josephine Giordano of 93 Grand Street and Mrs. Theresa Legler of 779 Cortlandt Avenue, the Bronx.

Mr. Ford turned over to Police Inspector Thomas H. Murphy the names of eight medical practitioners who had not registered with the County Clerk as required by law.

In Trenton, the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners announced that it would sponsor shortly after the opening of the new Legislature measures to weed out quacks.

Coolidge Invited to Jersey City.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—President Coolidge was invited today to participate in the observance of Lincoln's birthday with the Lincoln Association of New Jersey, one of the largest political clubs of Jersey City. The invitation was extended by David J. Allen of Jersey City, an official of the Department of Justice. Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, also was invited.

HE DEFIED NEITHER CREED NOR BISHOP

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he is reported to have said: "We must all keep cool and calm, and everything will come out all right."

The Rev. Stuart L. Tyson, Vice President of the Modern Churchmen's Union, and spokesman for the Modernists defending Dr. Heaton, joined Dr. Parks and Dr. Gilbert yesterday in emphasizing that there was nothing heretical in the sermon preached by Dr. Parks last Sunday.

"I heard Dr. Parks's sermon," said Dr. Tyson, "and I can tell you that he didn't deny anything. His two most important sentences were as follows, as I wrote them down during the sermon:

"'There is justification from Scripture for those who deny that the virgin birth was an historical fact.'

"'I believe it is Bishop Manning's duty to bring me to trial.'

"You can take it from me that he said exactly those two sentences."

No Basis for Heresy Charge.

"As far as this sermon is concerned, there is absolutely no ground for bringing Dr. Parks to trial. He personally in this sermon denied neither the virgin birth nor the resurrection, merely claiming the liberty to say, in the light of the best scholarship of the twentieth century, that neither was essential to full belief in Christ.

"When he said that he believed it was Dr. Manning's duty to bring him to trial, Dr. Parks was referring to his previous sermon and to his book, 'The Crisis in the Churches,' which was published about six months ago. He meant that in view of the pastoral letter of the House of Bishops that it was Bishop Manning's duty to try him for what he has been saying right along. Throughout his writings and preachings Dr. Parks has said that belief in the virgin birth was not essential to belief in Christ.

According to Dr. Tyson, there is practically no difference between Dr. Parks's statements and writings and those of Mr. Heaton, who may be tried for heresy in Texas. Dr. Tyson said there were two counts against Heaton, the charge that he had denied the virgin birth, and the charge that he had broken his ordination vows. Dr. Tyson said that the case against Mr. Heaton is based on a written statement he made on Nov. 16 for Bishop Coadjutor Moore of Texas, in which Mr. Heaton said that he had never intended categorically to deny the virgin birth, but that his mind was open to whether it had actually occurred. Dr. Tyson added that Bishop Manning and the Rev. Ernest M. Stires of St. Thomas's Episcopal Church had tried to prevent Dr. Heaton's trial on the ground that a heresy trial would react unfavorably to the Fundamentalist cause.

Says Fifth of Clergy Are Liberal.

Dr. Stires, according to Dr. Tyson, felt that there was no case against Mr. Heaton, and later telephoned to Bishop Manning. Dr. Tyson said that the Bishop instructed Dr. Stires to do everything he could to persuade Bishop Moore not to bring Mr. Heaton to trial, and that both Bishop Manning and Dr. Stires wrote to Bishop Moore that it would be a mistake to go through with the case.

"Whatever happens now," Dr. Tyson said yesterday, "there is no doubt that victory in the court of public opinion has been completely with the Modernists." He added that the Modernists regretted the shock they had given the Fundamentalists, but he insisted that the issue was forced by the Fundamentalists through the pastoral letter. The Modernists will do their best he added, to prevent a split in the church.

According to Dr. Tyson, about 20 per cent. of the 6,000 Episcopal clergymen throughout the country are Modernists. He admitted that the membership of the Modern Churchmen's Union, which was organized two years ago as an offshoot of an English organization, was only 500, including clergy and laity, but said that many clergymen who were Modernists at heart, but had Fundamentalist bishops or congregations to contend with, were afraid of coming out into the open. He said that these clergymen were not dishonest in concealing their real opinions, but that they were poor men, who had to think of the support of their wives and children.

Rev. D. S. Miller's Resignation.

The Rev. Dickinson S. Miller, who is reported to have tendered his resignation as Professor of Apologetics at the General Theological Seminary because he disagreed with the Fundamentalist position taken by the bishops in the pastoral letter, declined to discuss the report yesterday. It was learned, however, that Dr. Miller's letter of resignation was received at the seminary last Saturday, that it has not yet been acted upon by the Board of Trustees, and that Dr. Miller had been called to Smith College as head of the Philosophy Department.

According to reports in Modernist circles here yesterday, a movement has started in the Episcopal Theological Seminary in Cambridge, resulting in the appointment of a Diocesan Commission, which is expected to recommend at the next general convention that the creeds be taken out of the regular church service and put at the end of the prayer book. This proposals of course, would have no chance of success so long as the Fundamentalists remain in power at the head of the church, as it would be a long step toward affirming the Modernist position that the creeds are unessential.

Fundamentalists Rally.

It was also reported yesterday that Modernist Bishops throughout the country are preparing a statement in opposition to the Fundamentalist views set forth in the pastoral letter.

Statements came from Fundamentalists yesterday urging the Modernists to get out of the Episcopal Church if they could not subscribe to the doctrines held by the vast majority of the church. The Rev. Barnard Iddings Bell, President of St. Stephen's College, Annandale-on-Hudson, took that position, and also favored a trial for heresy as a test case, in a statement to his students yesterday on their departure for the Christmas holidays.

"The time has probably come," Dr. Bell said in part, "when the church must officially decide whether her historic appeal to Catholic tradition is right or wrong. We must have some settlement."

The Rev. Selden Peabody Delany, associate rector of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, and editor of the American Church Monthly, who is one of Bishop Manning's strong supporters, said that there was no possibility of a compromise with the Modernists, and that the Modernists should get out of the Church if they can not subscribe to its doctrines. Dr. Delany said that the Modernists should prepare a new creed, present it to the next general convention of the Church, and try to have it adopted instead of the present creeds.

Finds No Schism in the West.

The Rev. G. A. Carstensen, rector of the Holy Rood Church, said that the Fundamentalists were overwhelmingly superior in numbers to the Modernists, and that there was no chance of the Modernist movement splitting the Church. Bishop Reginald H. Weller, one of the signers of the pastoral letter against which the Modernists are protesting, said yesterday at his home in Fond du Lac, Wis.:

"The rebellion of the heretics is confined to the East, mostly New York, and does not mean a thing to the Middle West Episcopalians."

At Burlington, Vt., Bishop Arthur C. A. Hall, who wrote the pastoral letter which the other Bishops signed, said that the committee which drew up the letter did so in response to a memorial "presented by a large number of representative laymen from different parts of the country asking guidance and reassurance in view of many recent proclamations upsetting to faith."

Bishop M. Edward Fawcett at Quincy, Ill., said that the Episcopal Church believed both the Modernists and Fundamentalists "are partly right and partly wrong."

The Rev. Tertius Van Dyke, pastor of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church, said yesterday that the Modernist leaders were anxious to avert a split in the Church, and that "while a break may be imminent it is not inevitable."

BISHOP LAWRENCE'S STAND.

Feels That Church Overemphasizes Formal Creeds.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 19.—Light on the attitude of Bishop William Lawrence of the Massachusetts Diocese may be gained from his words in an address made last October at the celebration of his thirtieth year as head of the Church in this diocese. On that occasion he said:

"Personally, I cannot but feel that the Church is today placing undue emphasis upon the formal creeds and their recital. 'The faith' and 'the forms of expression of the faith' should be clearly distinguished from each other. The faith is the spiritual foundation of our life, something so deep, so mystic and so vital that men cannot fully express it. It can never be an exact expression and must be framed in changing forms or must be reinterpreted as the generations pass."

MANNING MAKES AN ADDRESS.

Bishop Pleads for Preservation of the Holy Places in Palestine.

Bishop William T. Manning was one of the two guests of honor yesterday afternoon at a meeting in the interest of the American Committee on Preservation of Holy Places in Palestine held by the Churchwomen's League for Patriotic Service in the headquarters of the Church League Club, 130 East Fifty-seventh Street. The other guest of honor was the Most Rev. Dr. Pantaleimon, Archbishop of Neapolis in Palestine, who is here as the representative of the Patriarch of Jerusalem. Bishop Manning was applauded as he entered the room and mounted the platform.

Mrs. Howard Townsend Martin, President of the club, who presided, introduced Bishop Manning and said that the Board of Governors of the league at its next meeting would discuss the matter of the league's making a contribution to the $2,000,000 fund to preserve the shrines.

"This is a matter which is of interest to all Christians," said Bishop Manning. "We cannot leave this movement to the Presbyterians, the Baptists and the Methodists alone. We must engage in an honorable rivalry with them. We must take the lead in raising this money. The concerted efforts of all the churches are necessary to preserve this ancient and holy institution."

Endorse Pastoral Letter.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Approval of the recent pastoral letter of the House of Bishops was voted at a meeting here today of thirty-one Episcopal clergymen, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Catholic Club, at the Church of the Advent, of which the Rev. Dr. William H. van Allen is rector.

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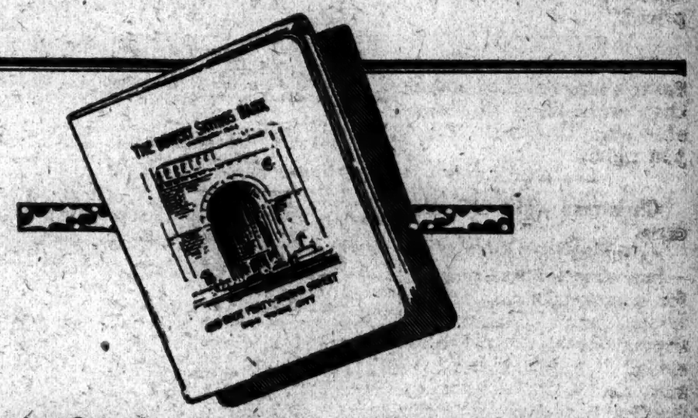

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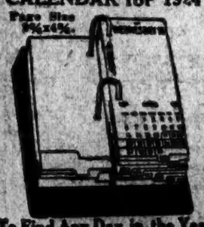

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CAPTURE 3 CARGOES OF HOLIDAY LIQUOR

Ideal Weather, However, Enables Other Boats to Land Loads on Jersey Coast.

A WAREHOUSE IS RAIDED

Prohibition Agents Seize 100 Barrels of Pure Alcohol Valued at $100,000.

Two alleged rum-runners with liquor cargos, and a third cargo which had just been landed by a rum-runner and loaded on a motor truck, were among the captures reported yesterday by the Coast Guard. The success of the forces operating at sea to dry up New York during the holidays was matched by the land forces when prohibition agents under Assistant Divisional Chief William J. Brennan raided the four-story storage warehouse of Kervin Brothers, 101 Front Street, and seized 100 barrels of pure alcohol, valued at $100,000.

One of the two boats charged with rum-running was captured after a two-mile chase from Long Beach to a point off Jones's Inlet. It was a 35-foot speedboat, with "K-4282" painted on its sides. The speedboat and its cargo of sixteen cases of Scotch whisky and six "hams," or 6 quart bottles bound in burlap, were towed to the Barge Office.

The capture was made by Customs Inspectors Through, Rankin and Polak of the staff of Chief Deputy Surveyor William R. Sanders, who were cruising off Long Beach early yesterday morning when they sighted the suspect going at full speed toward Jones's Inlet. The cutter's captain outwitted the faster motorboat and headed off the K-4282 before it could make the inlet.

Others Land Their Liquor.

More than a score of rum-runners are believed to have made landings on the New Jersey shore on Tuesday night, according to reports from all along the coast. Weather conditions were ideal for rum-running. There was a low haze and the sea was calm.

A stranded rum-runner with fifty-five cases of Scotch whisky was seized by Boatswain Foster of the Coast Guard station at Sandy Hook. It was a new speedboat, equipped with an airplane motor.

Another boat landed a cargo of liquor at Seabright, but the liquor, enough to fill a truck, was seized by members of the Coast Guard led by Keeper Butler of the Seabright (N. J.) station after the last case had been loaded.

The liquor fleet off the New Jersey shore was reported yesterday to include eight vessels. Of that number two were steamers. The other division of the fleet lying off the coast of Long Island was said to be made up of between twelve and fourteen ships.

Was Labeled "Linseed Oil."

The alcohol seized by the prohibition agents was put up in one-gallon containers, which in turn were packed in 100-gallon barrels, labeled "Linseed Oil."

The raid was made while three workmen were unloading alcohol in front of the place. Three members of the firm were arrested: James Kervin, 502 Rugby Road; Harold Kervin and Edward A. Kervin of 523 Foster Avenue, all of Brooklyn, and three workmen, John Gunder, 234 Pearl Street; John Martinetti, 256 Ellery Street, and George J. Haase, 1,704 Broadway, the latter two of Brooklyn. They were held in $500 bail each.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALES IN 5,000 POST OFFICES

Treasury Order Barring Tuberculosis Association Applies Only to Federal Owned Buildings.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Confirmation of the statement that the sale of Christmas seals by the National Tuberculosis Association had been stopped in Federal buildings owned by the Government, was obtained today, but it was said at the Treasury Department, which has control of these buildings, that the officials of the association had agreed a year ago that they were to discontinue the practice.

This is due to the enforcement of an old Treasury order and applies only to Federal owned buildings, about 1,100 in number, and not to 5,000 post offices leased by the Government, which come under control of the Post Office Department and not the Treasury. In fact, Postmaster General New issued a specific order Oct. 30, allowing the sale of the seals and he did not know until last night that it would be prevented at any post office. The White House, too, it was said, did not know of the application of the order until today.

As outlined here, the situation is this: During the great war the Treasury Department relaxed its standing order that no sales except those by the Government must be carried on in the buildings under its charge. As is well known, sales in connection with drives of various kinds were conducted, and organizations such as the Red Cross even had rooms in the Federal buildings in some instances. However, two years ago, it was stated, when the Tuberculosis Association asked the privilege of selling its seals, it was told that 1921 would be the last Christmas when this would be permitted. However, in 1922 the plea was again made, and the Treasury granted it, but with the understanding that the last sale would be at Christmas of that year.

In October of this year, so the story goes, the request was again made, but this time Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, although a large personal contributor to charities, felt that he had to maintain his stand. There was a full understanding last year that the privilege would not be granted this year, it was stated.

In Washington, it was asserted today, that the first protest against the application of the old order came from New Haven, where a booth had been placed in the post office, but was removed on Government orders.

JAY GOULD ESTATE SHRINKS $35,000,000

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chargeable against the share held in trust for George J. Gould."

Justice Davis found that the market value of one-sixth of the Jay Gould estate on Dec. 7 was $8,411,379, and the income from George J. Gould's share, from the date of his death to Sept. 30 last, was $41,366, making the gross value of the sixth interest, with income, $8,453,746. The Court deducted $2,800,000 as the share of this one-sixth in the amount that will be required for Federal and State taxes and the expense of the accounting proceedings. This sum with one-sixth of the George J. Gould claim against his father's estate, or $24,832, left a net of $5,628,715, upon which the Court based its distribution to the children.

The fact that Justice Davis estimated the George J. Gould share of the taxes and expenses at $2,800,000 indicated that he expected the total cost of the litigation and other expenses of the estate would be $16,800,000. Justice Davis's ruling made no allowance for the contention of brothers and sisters of George J. Gould that his interest in his father's estate should be surcharged for the losses alleged to have been sustained by the estate as the result of his alleged mismanagement. Allegations that the losses due to his acts were more than $20,000,000 have been made. George J. Gould's income from his life interest in the share left to his family has been withheld by the trustees for several years past to meet any possible surcharges. The sum withheld is now more than $1,000,000.

SAYS DEATH LURKS IN BOOTLEG WHISKY

Analysis of 75,000 Samples Shows No Effort Is Made to Eliminate Poisons.

EXPERT WARNS THE PUBLIC

Dr. J. M. Doran, Federal Official, Declares Labels Are Not Guarantees Liquor Is "Safe."

Government analysis of 75,000 samples of bootleg liquor proves that the new crop of moonshiners makes no effort to eliminate poisons in newly distilled whisky, which frequently cause death or chronic disorders, according to Dr. J. M. Doran, head of the industrial alcohol division of the Bureau of Internal Revenue at Washington, in an article published yesterday by The Spectator, insurance magazine. In the article Dr. Doran says that labels and stamps are not guarantees of the "safety" of bootleg liquor, and that the average person will find it impossible to detect dangerous concoctions. He declares death lurks in virtually all bootleg liquor nowadays.

The four principal sources of beverage liquors today, according to Dr. Doran, are illicit distillation, smuggling, home brew and bonded stocks illegally withdrawn. He says smuggled liquors are found mostly along the seaboard, and that the quantity of illegally withdrawn bonded liquor is "negligible as compared with the total stocks handled by bootleggers." The article continues:

"Illicit distillation, either of the old mountain moonshine style or of the more recently developed methods of the city and town dwellers, whose plants are secreted in barns, garages, office buildings, factories, apartment houses and private homes, constitutes the principal source of what the unsuspecting and trustful individual buys from a bootlegger.

"The products of these stills are largely used with a little flavoring and coloring matter, or blended with a small quantity of foreign liquers and stretched with the use of water. Some of the distillates are made by an attempt to recover ethyl alcohol from completely denatured alcohol, which may contain from 2 to 10 per cent. of wood alcohol or methanol, or by attempts to drive off one or more of the many articles used to render specially denatured alcohol unfit. These processes are never wholly successful, and always quantities of the denaturing substances are present, so that serious physiological disturbances are experienced by those who use such liquors frequently.

"What the public should know and what every agency interested in the promotion of public health should aid in telling the public is the harmful effect upon the human organism of the toxins found in raw liquor. Under present day moonshine practice there is but little attempt to remove the impurities and poisons that carry over in the first run of distillation or those that run over last. The one we call 'heads,' the other 'tails.' The present-day moonshiner does not have at his command the means of eliminating aldehydes from his product, which can only be done by fractionating in an alcohol column or aging in a wooden barrel."

EDGE ASKS AMENDMENT FOR 3 PER CENT. LIQUORS

Would Also Change the Volstead Act to Remove Restrictions on Physicians' Prescriptions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Senator Edge introduced today an amendment to the Volstead act raising the legal percentage of alcoholic contents in beverages from one-half of 1 per cent. to a maximum of 3 per cent. The Senator explained that his bill in no way prohibits States from keeping the present maximum of one-half of 1 per cent., if desired, nor of complete control of the method through which such beverages could be sold or distributed. Senator Edge takes the position that the 3 per cent. maximum is clearly within the provisions of the Eighteenth Amendment.

Senator Edge also introduced an amendment to the Volstead act relieving the restrictions on physicians' prescriptions. This latter amendment is in line with and for the purpose of meeting decisions of two Federal Judges, one in New York and the other in Montana, who declared this section of the Volstead act constitutional.

"DRYS" TO MEET JUNE 5.

Will Hold Party's National Convention in Columbus, Ohio.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 19.—June 5 and 6 were set today as dates for the holding here of the national convention of the Prohibition Party.

J. A. Murray of Lincoln, Neb., member of the National Executive Committee of the party, was here today making preliminary arrangements for the meeting. Twelve hundred delegates may attend, he said.

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MILLER AND STEUER EXCHANGE EPITHETS

Called 'Window Dresser' Again, the Ex-Governor Remarks on "Malodorous Animals."

CASE FOR HEARST RESTED

Defense in Paper Mill Suit Moves for Dismissal—Hints Publisher Bribed Zittel.

Former Governor Nathan L. Miller, attorney for the Dexter Sulphite Pulp & Paper Company, in William R. Hearst's suit to cancel his contract to buy its mill for $3,500,000, on the ground that his agent, C. F. Zittel got a bribe of $125,000, was aroused to resentment yesterday by repeated personal comment by Max D. Steuer, trial counsel for Mr. Hearst.

The former Governor had paid little heed to previous remarks by Mr. Steuer who once referred to him as a "window-dresser" because he permitted his associate, ex-Justice Samuel Seabury, to do the bulk of the examination of witnesses, but yesterday after Mr. Steuer had repeated the "window-dressing" remark and said he would protest any evidence offered by the defense because "they can't put in any honest evidence," Governor Miller jumped to his feet in anger.

Addressing Justice Bijur, the ex-Governor said he had permitted "personal observations and epithets of counsel" to go unnoticed previously, but had decided that there were "malodorous animals" around and that "one is liable to get sprayed at any time." Justice Bijur prevented further colloquy by declaring an adjournment.

Mr. Steuer rested the case for Mr. Hearst at 4 o'clock, after hearing witnesses all day concerning the making of the paper mill contract. Mr. Miller moved for dismissal on the ground that Mr. Hearst had failed to prove that the defendants had any knowledge of the corruption of Zittel, the Hearst agent, still on the Hearst payroll at $1,000 a week; had failed to prove that there was any agreement between Paul Smith, Adirondack hotel man, who brought the mill to the attention of Mr. Hearst, to divide commissions with Zittel, and had failed to show any willingness to restore the mill to the condition in which it was when Mr. Hearst bought it.

Attorney Seabury, joining in the motion to dismiss, pointed out that Mr. Hearst has paid Zittel $200,000 since the action has been pending, and asked, "What was Hearst's motive in paying this money to Zittel?" He added:

"The proof is much stronger that Hearst gave Zittel a bribe than that the Campbells gave Zittel a bribe. Hearst wants to cancel the contract because of the drop in the market. It reflects on his good faith and integrity. They have absolutely failed to prove the case."

Mr. Seabury said the case should be thrown out of court, and if any more stones are to be thrown, "let them throw them in Jefferson County, where our suit to collect on the contract is on."

In replying, Mr. Steuer said:

"What is there in Jefferson County that will hurt Hearst? They talk about clean hands. What has been done in this case by the defendants? No bathing will ever clean them. It was a case of rob this man Hearst of $500,000. They told Zittel the price was $3,500,000 and he never asked Campbell to reduce the price although in the employ of Hearst."

Mr. Steuer commented on the manner in which Geoffrey Konta, attorney for Mr. Hearst, who drew up the mill contract, was cross-examined by Mr. Miller, and said:

"It was unworthy of the name 'lawyer.' It was one of the most disgraceful things that ever happened."

The argument on the motion for dismissal will continue today.

ORDERS THE ARREST OF MRS. B. PERCY CLARK

Adjournments of Hearing on Charges of Violating Tenement House Law, Angers Magistrate.

"This arouses my indignation, to put it mildly," said Magistrate W. Bruce Cobb in Morrisania Court yesterday as he ordered a warrant issued for the immediate arrest of Mrs. B. Percy Clark of 1,067 Fifth Avenue, former wife of Frank B. Dodd and granddaughter of Benjamin H. Trask. Magistrate Cobb referred to repeated adjournments of the action brought by Inspector Holly of the Tenement House Department against Mrs. Clark as owner of the tenement buildings at 355-7-9 Alexander Avenue, the Bronx, in which Holly charges numerous and continued violations of the Tenement House laws.

When the case was called yesterday for the fifth time since Nov. 14, an attorney explained that Mrs. Clark was unable to be present because her husband was ill. According to Inspector Holly he began pointing out violations of the law, including defective plumbing, ceilings and unsanitary conditions in the Alexander Avenue buildings on Jan. 24, 1923 and nothing had been remedied since. The only time Mrs. Clark has appeared in Court, he said, was on Dec. 5, when she refused to recognize the jurisdiction of a Magistrate's Court or sign a waiver which would allow the case to go to Special Sessions.

When Magistrate Cobb saw the record of the hearings thus far he said: "How perfectly absurd, when the Mayor of this city and the Acting Mayor have ordered three separate investigations into the tenement house situation. This sort of thing is nothing more nor less than an attempt to make a rubber stamp of our courts."

GIRL KILLED ON SIDEWALK.

Seven Also Are Injured When Trucks, Avoiding Crash, Jump Curb.

Two chauffeurs avoided a head-on collision between their automobiles at Varet Street and Graham Avenue, Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon, but in doing so ran their cars onto the sidewalk, killing a little girl, seriously injuring another and inflicting hurts on a baby, two men and five others.

Ruth Schoen, 5 years old, of 130 Boerum Street, was playing on the sidewalk in Graham Avenue, near Varet Street, when the automobiles mounted the curb. One of the cars struck her, and she died while being removed to St. Catherine's Hospital. Walka Dumond, 4 years old, of 14 Belvidere Place, received serious internal injuries. Others injured were Solomon Caplan, 44 years old, of 36 Paton Avenue, whose leg was broken; Wolf Brand, 40 years old, of 542 Van Buren Street, received a broken leg and arm, and Morton Chaif, 15 months old, of 643 Saratoga Avenue, who was in the arms of one of the children, received cuts and bruises about the head and body. Five other persons were treated by ambulance surgeons.

One of the automobiles was being operated by Samuel Glickman of 590 Pleasant Avenue. Peter Pilch, of 151 Floyd Street was operating the other. No arrests were made.

An unidentified man was killed by a motor truck in the evening at East 149th Street and Westchester Avenue, the Bronx. He appeared to be about 65 years old and was neatly dressed. Harmon Kessler of 693 East 170th Street was arrested.

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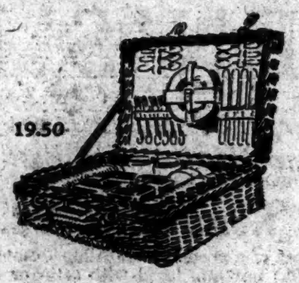

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CRAIG SAYS DELAY IS FAULT OF HYLAN

Declares Mayor Has Withheld His Approval of West Side Improvement Plan.

REQUESTS BOARD TO ACT

Wants Public to Have Access to the Waterfront Along Riverside Drive.

According to Controller Charles L. Craig, Mayor Hylan is responsible for delays in the west side improvements, including the removal of the New York Central Railroad tracks along Riverside Drive. In a letter to Acting Mayor Murray Hulbert the Controller said yesterday that the Mayor had withheld his approval of a plan to improve conditions and that the changes were of fundamental importance in rectifying conditions of street traffic and in providing access to the North River waterfront and public enjoyment of Riverside Drive.

"I am writing you this letter," wrote the Controller, "to bring the matter clearly to your attention so that the city's interests may no longer be prejudiced by inaction, or negative action, on the part of the Mayor." In his letter he said:

"On the 19th day of December, 1913, the Board of Estimate adopted a resolution changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by West Fifty-ninth Street, the bulkhead line of the Hudson River, West Seventy-second Street and West End (Eleventh) Avenue, so as to make provision for the Twelfth Avenue viaduct through the railroad yards and thereby furnish the connection between Riverside Drive Park and West Fifty-seventh Street, as well as for certain of the intersecting streets shown thereon.

"Subsequently the Corporation Counsel, under date of Jan. 13, 1920, furnished to the Mayor an opinion, stated to be in response to the Mayor's request, in which the view was expressed that the Mayor should withhold his approval of such map change because of alleged prejudice that the city might suffer in the litigation which had been instituted by the direction of the Mayor and in the name of the City of New York against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to dispossess the railroad company from the lands occupied for right of way purposes on the west side of the Borough of Manhattan from St. John's Park to the city line at Yonkers. The Mayor has ever since withheld his separate approval of the resolution making the change in the street plan."

In urging that the map changes be made at once, the Controller added:

"Not only are property rights of great value to the City of New York involved in the action taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which so far has not received the separate approval of the Mayor, but the convenience, comfort and enjoyment of a vast portion of the population of the City of New York, as well as non-residents thereof, are likewise affected."

MORE SCHOOL CONTRACTS.

Board of Education Lets More Than $2,500,000 New Work.

The Board of Education, at a special meeting yesterday, awarded contracts totaling more than $2,500,000. The contract for the new James Madison High School in Avenue P, at Twenty-sixth Street, Brooklyn, was awarded to the Turner Construction Company, the lowest bidder, for $2,045,000. The building is to be completed in 457 consecutive calendar days or fifteen months.

The George Colon Company won the contract for the addition to P. S. 36, the Bronx, Black Rock Avenue near Castle Hill Avenue, on a bid of $347,000. The contract for heating and ventilating the Girls' Commercial High School was given to the Almirall Company on a bid of $229,388.

CHICAGO CLAIMS 2,971,876.

Estimate of Population Based on School and Water Service Increase.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Chicago's population is only 30,000 short of the 3,000,000 mark, according to an unofficial survey announced there today.

The estimated population is 2,971,876, an increase of 270,171, or nearly 10 per cent., over the total shown by the Federal census of 1920. It corresponds closely to calculations based on the number of names in the new directory.

Among the indices considered in the estimate were increases in public school enrollment and in the domestic water service.

NEVIN'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL.

Coroner's Verdict Frees Fotterall, but Nicholson Held for Extradition.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—The fall from a window of the St. James Hotel which killed Charles W. Nevin was accidental, a Coroner's jury decided today in exonerating William Fotterall Jr. of Fort Kennedy and Frank Nicholson of New York. The verdict immediately released Fotterall, but Nicholson was sent back to the County Prison to await extradition to New York.

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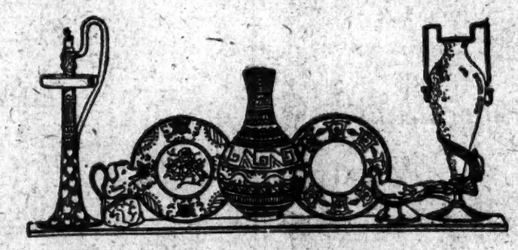

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By Royal Doulton of England, copies of old Chinese Sung Ware, a lost art, recovered in royal red and purple splendor. $135 to $360.

Rock Crystal from Belgium
Exquisite rock crystal, intricately cut, hand-polished, scintillating with light. Vases, small serving dishes, water sets. $4 to $90.

Gouda Pottery from Holland
Curious, extremely decorative in a mosaic of fine flat colors. Vases, bowls and other pieces, small and very large. $2.50 to $80.

Second Gallery, New Building

A Wealth of Gifts
From the Bijoux Shop

Here one will find a most fascinating collection of the jewelry which Paris and the smart world everywhere is wearing today.

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From the close little choker to the very long strands which are so smart to-day twisted several times about the neck or arm. $3 to $75.

Exquisite pearl bracelets—often combined with other stones, $7 to $35.

Pearl earrings in a variety of styles. $2 to $25. Rings, $3.50 to $15.

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Ivory beads, plain or carved, in all lengths. $2.50 to $40. Ivory pendants. $2 to $15.

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Fourth Gallery, New Building

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Line-a-Day Books, $2.50 to $6.50
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Smartly covered with bright ecrase leathers.

Little Shopping Lists, 75c
To slip into one's handbag, little pads equipped with pencil, covered with blue, brown or rose ecrase leathers.

Street Floor, Old Building

DIVORCE JURY HEARS 'AFFECTION' DEFINED

It Consists of Gently Helping a Woman Into a Taxi, Detective Holds.

8 SLEUTHS TRAILED STONEY

Witnesses Tell of Finding the Dentist and a Nurse in Her Manhattan Apartment.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Evidence of a raid on the apartment of Miss Mary Thelma Nichols at 502 Amsterdam Avenue, Manhattan, in the action for a divorce brought by Mrs. Katharyn Fowler Stoney of Pelham Wood against Dr. Arthur Crawford Stoney, a Manhattan dentist, was heard today when the trial was resumed before Supreme Court Justice Joseph Morschauser and a jury. It developed that eight detectives were engaged to shadow Dr. Stoney and Miss Nichols, who is a trained nurse.

Detective Harold Murray of Manhattan, called by the plaintiff, testified that he often had followed Dr. Stoney, who has an office at 515 Madison Avenue, Manhattan. Describing how the dentist acted toward the nurse, he said: "They both acted like a married couple or like sweethearts."

"Did they appear affectionate?" Clinton T. Taylor, representing Mrs. Stoney, asked.

"Yes, when they got in or out of a taxicab, Dr. Stoney always took Miss Nichols by the arm and elbow and helped her," the witness answered.

"Do you call that being affectionate?" Robert W. Maloney, counsel for Dr. Stoney, inquired.

"Yes, I do," said the sleuth. "I am a married man. I wouldn't want my wife handled in such a gentle manner by an outsider."

This caused laughter among the spectators, and Justice Morschauser smiled.

Agnes Joyce, a maid, and Reina Teriot, a floor clerk at the Hotel Biltmore, swore that they saw Dr. Stoney and the nurse in a room in that hotel in September, 1922. It was shown that meals were served to them in a room and the bill sent to Dr. Stoney at the Transportation Club, of which he is a member.

Clifford Fowler and Harold B. Fowler, brothers of the plaintiff, and Harold B. Patterson, a New York engineer and a mutual friend of the Stoneys, described a raid on the apartment of Miss Nichols on March 1 last. They were accompanied by Mrs. Stoney and several detectives. The raiding party reached the apartment about 6 o'clock at night. They said they found a large picture of Dr. Stoney, in army uniform, which belonged to Mrs. Stoney, in the bedroom of Miss Nichols.

According to the witnesses, when they forced their way in, Miss Nichols screamed, "Art, Art, help!"

Clifford Fowler said Dr. Stoney was there fully dressed and that he said, "I guess it is all over."

The witnesses said that the nurse wore a dark blue kimono. Miss Nichols brought to court a dark blue sport suit which she said she wore the night of the raid. Dr. Stoney denied he had been indiscreet with the nurse.

"CATS AND DOGS" SOLD.

Shares "Given Away" to Establish Losses for Tax Deductions.

A total of 489 parcels of securities known in the financial world as "cats and dogs" were sold at public auction at the Exchange salesroom, 14 Vesey Street, yesterday, to establish losses to be deducted from income tax returns to be filed next March. The amount received for certain blocks of securities puts them in the same class as the German mark. Some of the securities which had a face value of $100,000 or more brought only a few dollars. The offerings were unusually large this year, which was attributed to a belief that the proposed tax legislation next year might prevent taking a full loss on securities sold for that purpose.

Among the items disposed of yesterday was a block of 3,000 shares of Confidence Gold Mining stock, which brought $1. A block of 300 shares of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company, one of the "war babies," brought only $1. A 100,000-marks block of 4 per cent. bonds of the City of Cologne sold for $5. Only $15 was bid for a block of 46,000 shares of Turman Louisiana Oil Company stock. A block of 3,000 shares of the preferred stock and 1,800 shares of the common stock of the Sheepshead Bay Speedway Corporation was knocked down for $7.

A block of 2,800 shares of the common stock of the Automatic Clerk Company, with 200 shares of the second preferred shares thrown in as a bonus was taken over for $4 by some one who believed the securities might have real value some day. Securities having a par value of $73,000, issued by the Big Sandy Iron and Steel Company in the form of 6 per cent. notes, were sold for $30. Securities having a par value of $24,000, issued by the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad, also in the form of 6 per cent. notes, brought $25. A block of 18,562½ shares of the L. W. F. Engineering Company went for 5 cents a share, with no charge for the half share. Securities issued by the Moju Rubber Plantation and Development Company of West Virginia, having a par value of $178,000, were "given away" for $70. Another block of securities of the United States Publicity Company, preferred stock, which when issued had a par value of $39,700, brought only $650, while $10,500 par value securities of the American Press Association brought $500, and 1,250 shares of the American Press Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, Inc., common stock, sold for $25. One hundred shares of the Arex Radiophone Company went for $3.

YEARNED TO BE A SLEUTH.

But Fate Made Him Mayor Instead, Hylan Tells Detectives.

It would have been Detective John F. Hylan had not fate decreed that he become Mayor. The futility of a boyhood ambition held by the Mayor was revealed by him yesterday in a speech before the Detective School at Police Headquarters.

Mayor Hylan dropped in on the session as Lieutenant John Golden of the Bureau of Criminal Identification was discussing colors of hair.

"What is the color of my hair?" asked the Mayor.

Lieutenant Golden was careful. He subjected the Mayor's locks to a long scrutiny and then decided: "I'd call it a cross between auburn and blond." The Mayor seemed content.

Mr. Hylan remained at the session forty-five minutes. He praised the work of the detectives and the leadership of Commissioner Enright. He did not call on the Commissioner, who was at his desk yesterday for the first time since returning from his vacation in Bermuda.

Billard to Command Coast Guard.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. — President Coolidge sent to the Senate today the nomination of Commander Frederick C. Billard to be Commandant of the United States Coast Guard, with the rank of Rear Admiral, succeeding Rear Admiral William E. Reynolds, who will retire on Jan. 1.

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Korean Jade	34.85 to 65.00

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Semi-precious Stone	7.50 to 49.75
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Pearl	2.00 to 29.75
Semi-precious	7.50 to 69.75
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Powder Boxes	10.00 to 39.75
Cigarette Cases	19.75 to 64.75
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WILL HOLD OTHERS SOON

H. S. Houston, in Address, Declares That the Court Materializes an American Ideal.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The State Federation of Women's Clubs of New York threw its hat in the ring here tonight in the support of President Coolidge's stand on the World Court. Before the Federated Women's Clubs of this city, Herbert S. Houston, publisher of Our World, delivered the first of a series of addresses before women's clubs, strongly advocating that America should immediately become a member of the Permanent Court of International Justice.

Mr. Houston laid great emphasis on the leadership of two sons of New York, former Secretary of State Elihu Root and Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, in setting up the present World Court and now in urging the United States to become part of it. He pointed out how Senator Lodge was in direct opposition to the last three Republican Presidents as well as the traditional attitude of the Republican Party in opposing President Coolidge's recommendation.

Other addresses are to be delivered at Buffalo and Binghamton, Thursday and Friday supporting the resolution adopted by the State Federation at Albany endorsing the proposal to the United States to join the Court, favoring the country's participation in settling the question of reparations and Germany's ability o pay and favoring "some association of nations."

"We are already working in co-operation with various commissions of the League and yet we are not members of it," Mr. Houston concluded. "The precedent, therefore, which is involved in the present great proposal has already been set up. The country has accepted it and we are working with agencies of the League whenever and wherever we think it is to our advantage to do so. Manifestly, here is a case where in becoming a member of the Court we are co-operating on a matter of transcendent importance in behalf of world peace and in no degree embarrassing ourselves. It would certainly be a thousand pities if we should decline to go in because of an assumed risk which the President of the United States and such great lawyers as Mr. Root and Secretary Hughes unite in saying does not exist.

"This World Court is set up and operating in a most promising way. It has already adjudicated a number of important issues. It was my own privilege to attend the first hearing before the court a year ago last June. And what I then beheld I shall never forget. The court convened in a room of the Peace Palace, which had been built by our own Andrew Carnegie. When the black-robed Judges, each representing a great school of jurisprudence from different parts of the world, took their places on the bench they sat beneath a great Flemish tapestry. As I beheld it it rather seemed as if I were looking upon an animate canvas of Rembrandt's. But it was far more significant and vital than any canvas of the great painted in its relationship to world progress and world peace. There came before the court nine sovereign nations, headed by the British Empire and France, asking for the interpretation of a clause of the Versailles Treaty. As I saw these nations submitting an issue to a court rather than to the decision of arms it seemed to me that I was witnessing a great forward step in the progress of mankind.

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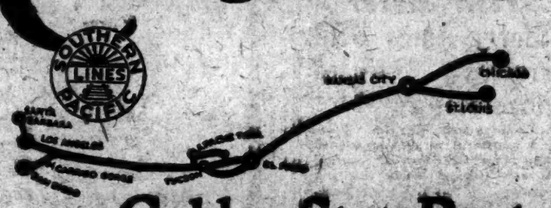

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PROPERTY OWNERS ACTED

Old Dwellings on the Site Had Been Demolished and Excavation Work Begun.

The Board of Standards and Appeals ruled against the proposed transformer station of the New York Edison Company in West Forty-seventh Street yesterday in one of the most important decisions made under the zoning law. The building permit issued by the Superintendent of Buildings to the Edison Company for the erection of the plant was revoked, although old dwellings on the site had been demolished and excavation work under way.

Appeal had been taken by Martha Morgan Taylor and a number of other property owners in West Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth Streets, and the Fifth Avenue Association, against the proposed erection of an electric sub-power house at 27 West Forty-seventh Street running through the block to 32 and 34 West Forty-eighth Street. Robert H. Koehler, attorney of 64 Wall Street, in making the appeal said that the proposed building was in contravention of Section 4, Subdivisions A and B, of the zoning resolution and that because of its nature as an industrial and manufacturing plant it was a non-conforming use. He maintained the Superintendent of Buildings had no power to issue a permit for its erection. Beardsley, Hemmens & Taylor, attorneys for the New York Edison Company, contended that the building was not at variance with the prohibitions set forth in the zoning law. They will appeal to the Supreme Court for a review of the decision.

The property owners said that in at least one similar case the board has granted a conditional variation of the zoning law, indicating that such a structure was considered a prohibitive use. Samuel W. Levy of Arnstein & Levy, representing 20 West Forty-seventh Street Realty Corporation, testified that his company was erecting at 16 to 24 West Forty-seventh Street a fourteen-story non-manufacturing store and office building for the tenancy of jewelry firms, and said that a petition will soon be presented to the Board of Estimate requesting that this area be included in a new "retail zone" to guard its development as a fine retail and office centre.

The petition opposing the plant was filed by owners and lessees representing 70 per cent. of the property in the two blocks affected.

MRS. HUGHES DIED ON SHIP.

Hanged Herself in Cabin While Suffering From Earache.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Adelaide Manola Hughes, wife of Major Rupert Hughes, author and playwright, took her life by hanging while mentally deranged from the intense pain of earache, according to a cablegram received today by Major Hughes from Haiphong, Indo-China, containing the details of his wife's death.

The cablegram, signed "Kirby," manager of the Standard Oil branch at Haiphong, read:

"Mrs. Hughes hanged herself in the steamer cabin in the middle of the night of Dec. 13. Stewardess discovered her body early in morning Dec. 14. Found long, affectionate cable, apparently unsent, to Hughes, indicating depression and complaining of ear, but not suggesting suicide."

The message continued with instructions to Major Hughes as to what papers he would have to submit to the French Consul here to obtain permission to bring his wife's body and her baggage home from Indo-China, which is a French possession.

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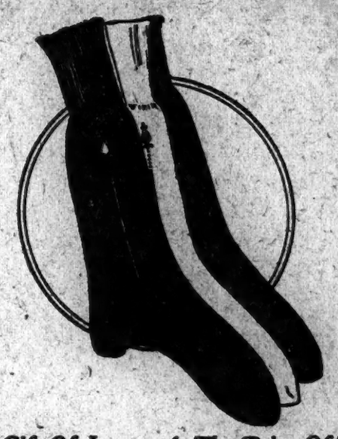

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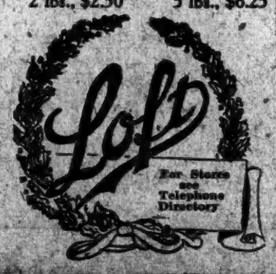

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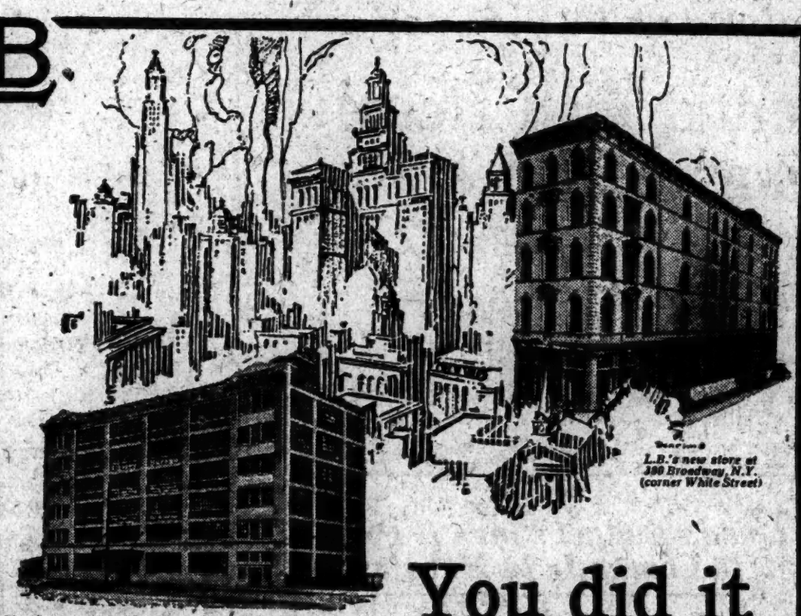

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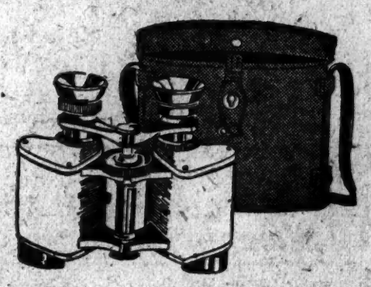

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An Interview with Andrew W. Mellon

By David Lawrence

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By Roger W. Babson

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PIRANDELLO, POET, HERE FOR NEW PLAY

Arrives on the Duilio to See Production of His "Henry IV."

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Duse Hopes He Has Strength to Endure Clamorous Days Ahead of Him.

An interesting passenger, who arrived from Genoa on the new liner Duilio of the Navigazione Generale Italiana Company yesterday was Dr. Luigi Pirandello, poet, author and playwright. Dr. Pirandello's play, "Six Characters in Search of an Author," was presented in New York last season. He has come here now for the first time to witness the production by Brock Pemberton of his play, "Henry IV." This is based upon the career of a German monarch in the eleventh century, who was reported to have gone insane and to have appeared in the courtyard of his castle in light attire.

The hero of the play is a modern person who is knocked endways by an automobile. When he recovers he believes that he is King Henry IV. of the Holy Roman Empire and does all sorts of queer things which those about him tolerate because of his hallucination. After a certain period the victim of the auto accident becomes sane again but continues to think of himself as Henry IV., so that he can carry on his eccentricities.

King Henry IV. is now being played in London, Paris, Berlin and Warsaw and will be produced in New York on Jan. 14 next at the Manhattan Opera House.

Dr. Pirandello, who is in his fifty-eighth year, said he began to write when he was 18. Among his published works are five volumes of poems, ten volumes of short stories, four novels, one book on humor and several plays.

He said he hoped that his experiences in the United States would not be as hard as Mme. Eleonora Duse hinted in a message sent to him from Washington yesterday, which read:

"May the secret strength and power of your soul enable you to endure the clamorous days that are ahead of you."

He brought a greeting to the people of America from Premier Mussolini, assuring them of the enduring friendship of Italy for the United States. He also received a telegram of welcome on behalf of his countrymen in America from the Italian Ambassador, Prince Caetani. Among other things he had done in his long life Dr. Pirandello said that he had been Professor of Literature in the Normal School for Girls in Rome for twenty years, but did not find anything interesting enough there to write about.

Dr. Pirandello was accompanied on the Duilio by Arnold Kirkcroff, one of the best-known actors in Central Europe. He is to play the leading rôle in King Henry IV.

Thatcher Brown of Brown Brothers, bankers, of New York and Philadelphia, was a passenger in the first cabin and was highly optimistic of the financial outlook for Italy under the present Government.

The officers of the Duilio said that she had made the run from Naples in eight days, fourteen hours at a speed of twenty and a half knots, beating the time on her first voyage.

ZANGWILL IN FAREWELL.

Says He Never Again Will Speak on Jewish Question.

Israel Zangwill broke a three weeks' silence last night at the fourth anniversary of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency at the Hotel Brevoort. He announced that he was making his "last" speech in New York, as he was leaving this city tomorrow. He also said that he would never again speak on the Jewish question.

Referring to the present church controversy, he said that it seemed to him the bulwarks of Christianity were beginning to burst under strain and now was the moment for Judaism to show that it had something to offer to the world. He charged that Samuel Gompers, President of the Federation of Labor, was pursuing a selfish game in regard to the entry of aliens into this country, and he also attacked the Ku Klux Klan, whose aims, he said, were Christianity by force.

Other speakers were Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Dr. Ludwig Stein, foreign editor of the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, and Oswald Garrison Villard, chief editor of The Nation.

SEEK DRILL IN STOMACH.

Instrument Vanished as Dentist Worked on Patient.

To solve the mystery of the disappearance of a small dentists' drill, X-ray photographs were made of the stomach of John Boecherer, 24 years old, of 944 Woodycrest Avenue, the Bronx, at Bellevue yesterday. He is believed to have swallowed the drill while having his teeth attended to on Monday by Dr. Edward Goodell, a dentist, of 170 Fifth Avenue. The X-ray plates will be developed today.

Dr. Goodell says he was treating a nerve canal with the needle-like drill when it slipped out of his hand and disappeared. Boecherer has suffered severe pains in his abdomen since Monday.

"Pagliacci" Sung at Metropolitan.

"Pagliacci" for the first time this season was sung at the Metropolitan last evening in a double bill with "L'Oracolo," as its more accustomed mate, "Cavalleria," will be later in the week with "L'Amico Fritz." The Spanish tenor, Fleta, sang Canio in Leoncavallo's opera, Mme. Rethberg the Nedda and Tibbett a new Silvio. De Luca was the Tonio of the prologue, Bada the Beppo and Papi the conductor. Leoni's Chinatown tragedy preceded the Sicilian. Scotti and Didur reappeared, with Harrold, Dalossy, Telva and d'Angelo, and Moranzoni at the baton.

Rudolph Polk, Violinist, Reappears.

Rudolph Polk, violinist, who grew to artistic maturity in the musical atmosphere of New York and has recently assisted in Chaliapin's concert tour, reappeared in a recital at Aeolian Hall last evening. He was heard with Frederick Short at the organ in the Vivaldi-Nachez concerto, and with Waldemar Liachowsky, pianist, in that of Mendelssohn. Mr. Polk won his hearers with graceful ease and evident musical feeling, not least effectively in the little arrangements by Kreisler, Elman, Wilhelmj, Achron's "Hebrew Melody" and others of Smetana and Sarasate.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Jane Cowl, putting aside "Pelleas and Melisande" temporarily, will devote all of next week to performances of "Romeo and Juliet" at the Times Square.

There will be daily matinées of "Seventh Heaven" next week, beginning Tuesday.

The Provincetown Theatre will reopen next month with Strindberg's "The Spook Sonata." O'Neill's "All God's Chillun Got Wings," already announced, will follow in February.

"The Other Rose," with Fay Bainter as its star, will open at the Morosco Theatre tonight.

"White Cargo" will move from the Greenwich Village Theatre to the Sixty-third Street next Monday night.

Anton Lang will adress the Catholic Actors' Guild at the Hotel Astor tomorrow afternoon.

"Seed," recently seen here, will reopen at the Children's Street Theatre in Philadelphia on Jan. 7. The same company will be seen in the New

MUSIC

The State Symphony Orchestra.

By H. C. COLLES.

Josef Stransky and the State Symphony Orchestra returned to Carnegie Hall last night to continue the series of symphony concerts begun some two months since.

A symphony by Haydn, the well known one in C minor from the Salomon set, opened this concert, and though it could not be called a specially distinguished performance, it was given with neatness and care. The string tone of this orchestra is poor in comparison with any of the others which have been heard at Carnegie Hall this season, and there is evidently still a good deal to be done before the orchestra can take its place among these others as an example of perfected instrumental ensemble. But we were glad to get Haydn, who is so apt to be passed over in the modern concert room, and to enjoy a performance of one of the most charming of his symphonies.

Besides some Wagner played at the end of the program Mr. Stransky introduced Frank Bridge's symphonic suite, "The Sea," which was given recently at Boston, but was now heard for the first time in New York. The composer's recent visit to this country has introduced a good deal of his music here, but "The Sea" represents him as a painter in oils; the chamber music shows more of his craftsmanship. The four movements are admittedly pictorial music; they represent differing aspects of the sea, calm in the sunlight, the play of the waves breaking on the shore, moonlight on a placid surface and finally the storm. Bridge is very deft in producing effects of orchestral tone, which may subtract the sort of analogies called up by the titles. Sometimes one feels that one might almost guess the title from the music, a thing which not many dealers in musical pictorialism achieve.

Near the end of the second one, "Seafoam," for instance, there is a break of a wave which almost calls out the familiar exclamation, "That's a good one!" And "Seafoam" is also the most successful from the purely musical standpoint. It is, of course, the scherzo movement of the four; the two quiet pictures of sunlight and moonlight are vaguely impressionistic and one enjoys its crispness of rhythm by contrast with them. The storm is after all rather a conventional affair; the sort of storm the landsman imagines and which seems to belong more to the theatre than to the concert room. This suite, if not deeply stirring, shows the composer's command of the orchestra, and it was well received by last night's audience.

For most people, however, the singing of John McCormack was evidently a stronger interest than any of the orchestral music. He began with two fine arias from more or less forgotten cantatas by Scarlatti and Cesarini, and his fine style of singing and the conviction of his delivery brought out the splendors of their broad melodies, particularly the intensity of Scarlatti's dramatic writing in "Salda Sangue." Later he sang three of the Moerike-Lieder of Hugo Wolf with the orchestral accompaniments provided by the composer. In "Neue Liebe" the orchestration is not quite at ease; the music seems designed for the idiom of the piano. But the delicate "Schlafendes Jesus Kind" sounded peculiarly beautiful given in this way, and in "Wo find' ich Trost" one forgot everything but the singing for Mr. McCormack's voice gave it the needed poignancy.

Pacific Cable Break Repaired.

The Commercial Cable Company announced last night that the Pacific cable had been repaired, restoring direct communication with the Philippines, China and Dutch East Indies.

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HOPPE KEEPS TITLE; WINS, 1,500 TO 1,161

Champion Makes Runs of 206 and 144 in Final Block of Play-Off Match in Chicago.

COCHRAN STAGES A RALLY

Tallies 725 Points in Third Block by Some Consistent Billiards.

HOPPE FALTERS AT FINISH

But His Early Lead Enables Him to Triumph—Victor Has Grand Average of 44 4-34.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. (Associated Press).—Willie Hoppe of New York retained his world's 18.2 balkline billiard championship by defeating Welker Cochran of California in the play-off match tonight by the score of 1,500 to 1,161. Hoppe was outplayed in the final block, Cochran scoring 725 points to the champion's 500. The match was the play-off of the tie in the international tournament which ended in New York on Nov. 5.

Cochran, for two nights badly off form, suddenly found himself late in tonight's play when Hoppe began missing and outplayed the champion, taking the final block by 225 points, but being unable to overcome the tremendous lead Hoppe piled upon the first two nights when he won, 500 to 203, and 500 to 233.

Starting play in his eighteenth inning Hoppe appeared to be in wonderful form and began clicking off billiards with a close nurse at the foot of the table. He got an open table spread at 40, but his control of the ivories seemed supernatural and in two shots he had the three balls closely grouped, but missed a six-inch draw after running fifty-three for an inning score of 106. That included the unfinished run of fifty-three last night.

Cochran was left safe, however, and could make but one point before he was forced to resort to safety play. Hoppe could not count off the lay he found and drew a blank. The champion essayed a safety play, but Cochran made a difficult three-cushion shot and in a moment brought the balls under good control.

Grim and Unsmiling.

Cochran was grim and unsmiling and played carefully and slowly. His thirty-ninth billiard was a most difficult massé. The balls were lined against the head rail at intervals of fifteen inches. Cochran played off the spot ball in a half circle to the rail and english took his cue straight to the red ball. But he missed the time shot after getting forty-five. The score: Cochran 482; Hoppe 1,053.

Hoppe got 206 in his third inning of the night, the second highest run of the match, being exceeded only by his own 211 on the opening night. For 203 shots Hoppe displayed all that has made him famous in billiards, and on the 204th shot played a wide three-cushion shot.

The crowd groaned as nearing perfection of the play the cue ball met the next spot ball and apparently the long run was to be ended by an unlucky kiss. However, by a fraction of an inch the kiss threw Hoppe's ball into the red and the run was continued until at the 207th Hoppe missed a three-cushion shot at the foot of the table.

Starting the brilliant run the champion found a difficult shot left by Cochran and not only made it but gathered the balls in perfect position for a long run. At 160 Hoppe was confronted with an open-table spread and was forced to play three successive three-cushion shots.

At 114 he had the balls close together on the lower rail. At times Hoppe's delicate touch registered six or eight points in a row without moving the balls more than a fraction of an inch.

Cochran, playing his twenty-first inning of the match and his third of the night, notched a 51, missing on a draw into the corner at the top of the table.

Hoppe Gets Only 4.

Hoppe got only 4 when he cut his cue ball a bit thick on a long rail shot. Cochran made 40 hard shots, every one being an open spread and including three cushion long draws and long rail first banks. On his forty-first shot he missed a difficult around-the-table shot by an inch.

Displaying the same mastery of all points of the game as he had in the second previous inning, Hoppe ran 144 points in his fifth turn at the table and came within 93 points of the necessary 1,500. Cochran was trailing with 672.

Cochran got 22 before he missed a two-cushion bank, and the champion was forced to give the California youth another chance for four was the best Hoppe could do before missing a massé. Cochran took advantage of the misplay to negotiate his highest run of the match, a 92. He displayed better control and easily held the balls close for some rapid scoring. Cochran made good use of the massé, in which he was weak last night.

Hoppe was left what appeared to be an easy shot but missed when he played three rails for position, and sat down to wait until Cochran cut further into his long lead. The score at the end of the twenty-fourth inning: Cochran 687, Hoppe 1,411.

By deft nursing and some good open table work, Cochran climbed 107 points, a new high run for him and the first time in three nights of play his inning score showed triple figures. As he passed the century mark cheers were heard. He missed when he got a bad line-up along the left head rail. He left Hoppe in poor position, but the champion made the play and in two more shots had the balls in a six-inch triangle at the head of the table.

The champion missed on a one-cushion draw after 28, and Cochran also missed for a blank inning on a short draw. Hoppe missed after getting 4. Cochran was displaying his best form of the match and encountering decreasing difficulties in controlling the balls in close nursing. He got 81 before missing on a three-cushion play.

Hoppe missed a drive for no count and the score at the end of the twenty-seventh inning was: Cochran 875 and Hoppe 1,443.

Cochran still was going good, while Hoppe had fallen down miserably. Cochran brought his score for tonight not only ahead of Hoppe's for the night but above his own total for the two previous nights. He was going good when sixty-one points brought him to 500 for the night and the task of cutting into the champion's lead. A massé stopped him after 79 when he went between the balls.

Hoppe Making 22.

Hoppe, shooting carefully, made 23 before a follow shot stopped him. Cochran began shooting slowly and with great pains. He held the balls well in close nurse running 44 before he missed a shot with the three balls lined along the right hand rail. Hoppe missed a similar shot and so did Cochran.

Hoppe made difficult shots but could not get the balls together, missing a three-cushion try. The crowd roared when Cochran passed his 1,000 mark. He got 96 and missed on a rail first drive. Hoppe missed a hard-played three-cushion shot and left the coast star, safe. Cochran missing an open spread.

Hoppe made seven open table shots and was kissed off on an unlucky shot. Cochran failed to count. Hoppe made one but after looking worried and after he fiddled at a long darw he missed when he needed only 16 to win.

Cochran got 97 and finding the balls in an impossible spread played safe. Hoppe, displaying extraordinary care, made the set, gathered the balls with more shots and ran out his necessary 16.

Tonight's block went 16 innings, that last night 13, and the opening night 8. The complete score by innings, high runs and averages follows:

Cochran—5 2 33 74 80 50 2 54 0 2 0 0 4 69 9 20 18 30 1 45 51 40 22 92 107 0 81 79 44 0 66 0 0 97—1,161.

Hoppe—150 34 46 211 x64 2 2 1 1 1 9 0 2 52 162 3 207 *93 106 0 206 4 144 4 0 23 4 0 23 0 10 0 7 1 16—1,500.

xUnfinished first night.

*Unfinished second night.

High runs—Hoppe, 211; Cochran, 107.

Grand average—Hoppe, 44 4-34; Cochran, 34 5-34.

LANDIS ASKS FINES FOR POOL SELLERS

Baseball Commissioner to Wage Campaign on Retailers Who Aid Gamblers.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Kenesaw M. Landis, Commissioner of Organized Baseball, will make a serious effort to have maximum fines imposed on all retailers who have been selling and collecting commissions on baseball pool tickets, George F. Carroll, Judge Landis's personal representative, declared today when the case of Morris Hyman, cigar store proprietor, was called in Municipal Court.

This is said to be the first case in which a retailer has been involved. Heretofore all prosecutions have been aimed at the "higher-ups" and the printers of the pool tickets. The case was continued.

After the hearing Mr. Carroll said that the Baseball Commissioner would ask revocation of licenses of all persons found guilty of selling pool tickets.

REDUCES CANNEFAX'S LEAD.

Reiselt is Only Two Games Behind in Three-Cushion Play.

Otto Reiselt, who represents Philadelphia in the National Championship Three-Cushion Billiard League, has reduced the lead held by Robert Cannefax of Detroit by one game as a result of the play during the past week. Cannefax, who has been idle, still retains the pace-setting position with a record of twenty-one victories and seven defeats, but Reiselt, as the result of two victories, has a record of nineteen games won and nine lost, which makes him only two full games behind the leader.

Johnny Layton, holder of the title last year, moved into third place by taking two games and has displaced Gus Copulos of Cleveland. Cliff Denton, the present champion, is in eighth place.

The standing of the players, with games won and lost, high runs and total innings for the best games, follows:

	W.	L.	H.R.	B.G.
Cannefax, Detroit	21	7	10	38
Reiselt, Philadelphia	19	9	9	42
Layton, St. Louis	16	10	9	38
Copulos, Cleveland	15	11	10	46
Kieckhefer, Chicago	17	13	9	30
Jackson, Milwaukee	14	12	10	38
Ellis, Pittsburgh	13	12	8	50
Denton, Kansas City	8	10	7	40
Maupome, Chicago	12	18	9	48
Wakefield, Pittsburgh	12	22	8	53
Heal, Toledo	7	19	8	42
Moore, New York	7	19	9	54

Billiard Results.

Jean Bruno of Austria, practicing in preparation for his coming match with Tadao Suganuma for the Junior 18.2 balkline title, defeated Murray Elin at the Recreation Academy, Manhattan, last night, 300 to 106. The game went to ten innings. Bruno's high run was 109, his opponent's 38.

George La Rue and Vernon Whittle were the winners of the two games played in the snooker tournament at Doyle's Academy last night. La Rue defeated Leo P. Flynn, 100 to 61 in 36 innings, making a high run of 28 to 14 for Flynn. Whittle defeated John Hamilton by the score of 100 to 73 in twenty-nine innings. His high run was 18, 3 better than Hampton's.

Alvin Meyers was the winner over Harold Tobis in the New York State amateur three-cushion tournament at Cranfield's 145th Street Academy last night. The score was 35 to 31. Meyers made his total in eighty-four innings and had a high run of 4, 1 better than that of Tobis.

Nicholas Labordas defeated Raymond O'Rourke in the Strand Class B three-cushion tournament last night. The score was 25 to 15. Labordas went out in sixty innings and had a high run of 3, to 2 for his opponent.

Fred Owles won the New York State amateur three-cushion championship game played at Cranfield's 181st Street Academy last night. He defeated Eddward Marshall, 25 to 22, in 60 innings. Owles made a high run of 5, Marshall of 3.

Julian Rice was the winner of the only game played in the club handicap 18.2 tournament for the James A. Thomas Trophy at the Hoppe-Peterson Club last night. He defeated F. S. Peyval, 225 to 112, in 34 innings. Rice's high run was 55, to 20 for his opponent.

In the first game of the play-off of the three-cornered tie in the New York State professional pocket billiard championship at Lawler Brothers' Academy, Brooklyn, last night, Peter Judice defeated Charles Harmon, 100 to 25. The game was decided in thirteen frames. Judice made a high run of 14. Harmon's was 11. Tonight Harmon plays Silver.

Frank L. Gray won the first of the final round games in the National Class C 18.2 balkline championship at the Recreation Academy in Brooklyn last night. He defeated Frank Grimes by a score of 150 to 134 in 55 innings. Grimes made the high run of the game, fourteen. Gray's high run was eleven.

In the three-cushion tournament at the Ambassador Academy last night Bud Adler was the winner over Jack Duffy by the score of 30 to 8. The game went to fifty-seven innings. Adler's high run was five, Duffy's two.

Carl Vaughan defeated Carl Schaider in a special pocket billiard match at the Capitol Billiard Academy last night. The score was 100 to 52. The winner's high run was 28, the loser's 24.

N. Y. A. C. Wins at Polo.

The New York A. C. D. team defeated the Durland D team last night in an indoor polo game at Durland's by the score of 10 to 7½. Maitland, No. 2 on the N. Y. A. C. trio, was the star of the game, scoring four of the goals.

Coach Price Resigns at F. and M.

LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 19.—Dr. John B. Price, coach of athletics at Franklin and Marshall College for the last three years, resigned today. Charles W. Mayser will succeed him here.

Vernon Sells High to Columbus.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Hughie High, outfielder, has been sold by the Vernon Pacific Coast League Club to the Columbus American Association team.

FINCASTLE PAYS $702.90 FOR $2

Colored Woman, Only Holder of Lucky Ticket, Can't Carry All Her Money.

HIS RIDER'S FIRST VICTORY

Granneman Fools Talent—Chief Barthell Destroyed During Havana's Exciting Day.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 19.—When Fincastle, the four-year-old son of The Manager out of King's Daughter, won the second race here today he established a record for a mutuel price at this track. He paid $702.90 for a $2 ticket. The lucky holder of the only ticket sold was a colored woman named Frances Tompson, who was a patron of the field enclosure. When Fincastle won Frances made a rush for the gate, not even waiting to cash her ticket, and went home to get a handbag to carry her money in. Among the oralists Fincastle was held at 10 to 1.

Fincastle was ridden by Granneman and was the lad's first winning mount. Granneman had never ridden before until coming to Oriental Park this Winter and his victory was a distinct surprise to the talent.

Lula, the afternoon's first winner, made all her own pace, but weakened at the end and had to be ridden out to beat Moorfield by a scant half length. Fly Lady stumbled and lost her rider at the break and Callahan had to pull up with Helioscope to keep from going over the prostrate rider.

One of the best finishes of the meeting came with the running of the third event, a distance of five and a half furlongs, when Mack Garner beat out Win or Quit by a scant half length. The next five horses finished noses and heads apart.

Elizabeth Jewel might have won the fourth race had Williams not used her up racing Awning into submission and when she began to weaken Lank came from behind and beat her in a driving finish by a head. Chief Barthell was crowded against the inside fence, broke his stifle and had to be destroyed.

The Maleco Handicap, the feature of the afternoon, furnished a big surprise when Romping Mary came from behind in the stretch run and beat the odds-on favorite Prince Regent by a couple of lengths. Romping Mary paid $75.30 in the mutuels. All in all, it was the most exciting day of the season to date.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600: two-year-olds; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Lula, 101 pounds (Grace), 6 to 5, 1 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Moorfield 109 (Brothers), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 7 to 5, second; Pawabroker 109 (Woodstock), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 3 to 5, third. Time—1:07 4-5. Also ran—Castilla, Fly Lady, Joy Maker, Blue Miss, Gold Leaf, Helioscope and Liborio.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; three-quarters of a mile. Pincastle 104 pounds (Granneman), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, first; Approval 107 (Eaton), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second; Joe Underwood 107 (J. Dawson), 2½ to 1, even, 2 to 5, third. Time—1:14. Also ran—Carrie Moore, Black Baby, Nig, War Fox, Hoke, Acosta and Tamper.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Mack Garner 112 pounds (Burger), 6 to 1, 2½ to 1, 6 to 5, first; Win or Quit 110 (G. Williams), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, second; Flying Boat 108 (McLaughlin), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 7 to 10, third. Time—1:08 1-5. Also ran—Mary Rose, Martina, Mr. Walter Whitaker, Kernan, Pomerane, Homan, Sovereign II., Memphis and Runnan.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Lank 110 pounds (Pickens), 7 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Elizabeth Jewel 108 (G. Williams), 7 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 4, second; Ben Bolt 111 (Cheatham), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time—1:08 4-5. Also ran—Helox, Zapatos, Awning, Fly, Chief Barthell and St. Just.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $900; all ages; handicap; three-quarters of a mile. Romping Mary 99 pounds (Goose), 20 to 1, 6 to 1, 2 to 1, first; Prince Regent 109 (J. Callahan), even, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, second; George Kuffan 106 (Pickens), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, third. Time—1:12 3-5. Also ran—Kirk Lady, Trafalgar and Charles Whitney.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and a sixteenth. Captain Adams 102 pounds (Majestic), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, first; Okaloosa 104 (Grammeam), 5½ to 1, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Rossate 101 (J. Dawson), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, third. Time—1:48. Also ran—Glory Joe, Little Ed, Blue Brush, Copyright, Herron, Billy Stuart, Black Watch II. and Biazonry.

Weather clear; track fast.

TIJUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Silly Gibson, 108 pounds (Clark), $5.40, $3.40, first; Certain Point, 106 (O'Donnell), $10.40, $8.80, second; Big Indian, 108 (Abel), $3.80, third. Time—1:14 4-5. Punta Gorda, Day of Wrath, Piutral and Isphano also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; one mile and seventy yards. Phillipe Lugo, 104 pounds (Lavigne), $12.20, $7.00, $4.80, first; Day Max, 108 (Wilson), $6.60, $4.60, second; Judge David, 109 (Corbett), $2.80, third. Time—1:49 2-5. Plurality, Al Wick, White Boots, Choir Master and Reydo also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; one mile and an eighth. Maggie, 108 pounds (Barnes), $3.60, $2.60, $2.20, first; Louis, 106 (Weiner), $3.80, $2.80, second; Bacchus, 104 (Baker), $2.60, third. Time—1:59 3-5. Topmast and Marcelle also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For two-year-olds; allowances; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Queen Catherine, 112 pounds (Sharpe), $13.20, $6.80, $4, first; Ramo, 112, (Cantrell), $3.80, $3, second; Ida Frances, 112 (Weiner), $2.60, third. Time—1:05. Hittump, Jimson, Eminent and Irish Dancer also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $600; one mile and seventy yards. Winding Prince, 106 pounds (Baker), $10, $5.60, $4.40, first; Tule, 99 (Wood), $5, $3.20, second; Nebraska Lad, 106 (Maiben), $3, third. Time—1:48 3-5. Glad Newa, May Prosper, Vic and Tootera also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Furious Bill, 106 pounds (O'Donnell), $11.20, $5.80, $3.60, first; Tom Craven, 106 (Abel), $10.40, $6, second; H. Warren, 106 (Mein), $4.20, third. Time—1:09. Flow Steel, Dapper Dan, Faithful Girl, Dr. Johnson, Just Right, Malravena and Sample also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse; $700; mile and a sixteenth. L'Effare, 110 pounds (O'Donnell), $12.40, $6, $4.20 first; Ruddy, 105 (Lavine), $4, $3.60, second; Marcella Boy, 110 (Peel), $6.80, third. Time—1:49 1-5. Chitra, Lady Ines, Wylie, Grayson, Blarney Stone and Rang also ran.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $700; claiming, two-year-olds; six furlongs. Great Northern 109 pounds, Phoebe Snow 104, Randolph 104, Double Shot 104, *Uncle Abe 108, *Balsam Lake 100, *Duelma 100, *Dowry 99, *Quinham 95, *Pen Jones 90, Golden Sun 98, *Frontiersman 99. Also eligible—Henry S., 107, The Fenian 104, Stargo 110, Warren Lynch 112.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. Amuse 115 pounds, Mickey Moore 112, Propaganda 112, Old Bliss 108, Mount Hope 115, Pilibbertgibbet 112, Fleer 112, Dentista 109, June 112, Anticipate 112, Teddy Roosevelt 112, Wahcondah 109, Also eligible—Monsoon 112, Dustproof 109, See Tay 106, Panjandrum 112, Adventure 112, Judge Wright II. 112.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; Julian Eltinge-Teen Three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. Hidden Jewel 114 pounds, James F. O'Hara 109, Mercury 111, Hughes Graham 105, Caligula 116, Shuffles 103, J. McMillen entry.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,200; allowances; three-year-olds; one mile. Tender Seth 115 pounds, Delaida 103, Dustabout 110, Lord Granite 105, Boot Blaze 107.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; four-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Charles Henry 115 pounds, Tranfuie 112, Drumsond 112, Royal Charlie 112, Slippery Elm 112, Good Time 112, Lord Allen 112, Dr. Pardon 112, Fur Coat 112, Herald 112, Silky 112, Florence Dees 109. Also eligible—Paul Micou 112, Doctor Joe 112, Sewell Combs 112, Jock Scot 112, Carnarvon 112.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth. *St. Denard 112 pounds, Spagnuli 107, *Little Ammie 103, *Whalebone 111, Smarty 103, *Trooper 102, Seattle 111, Waywardsome 104, *Frosty Snowy 102.

*Agnastice allowance claimed.

Weather cloudy; track muddy.

ANNE LEADS FIELD AT JEFFERSON PARK

Runs in Front From Start to Finish in Bonnabel Handicap—Blotter Is Second.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—Running in front from flag fall to finish and lasting to beat Blotter by a head, H. S. Bown's bay filly Anne, by Delhi-Grace Cunard, won the Bonnabel Handicap for two-year-olds over the six-furlong course at Jefferson Park this afternoon. The winner carried 105 pounds and was held at 6 to 1 in the betting at post time. The race was run in the slow time of 1:18 4-5 over a heavy track.

Seven went to the post in the handicap with E. J. Wall's Beautiful Addie the favorite, backed down to 7 to 5 at the close. Jockey Corcoran had the mount on Anne and she broke quickly from the barrier to take a lead which she never relinquished. All through the journey she was closely pressed by the Southland Stable's Blotter. Corcoran saved ground with Anne, while Blotter went a trifle wide turning into the stretch and could not quite get up.

Beautiful Addie appeared the best, but was poorly handled by Farland. She was allowed to drop back in the early stages and was ridden wide. But a thrilling finish resulted, as the first four horses were only heads apart past the finishing post.

The riding honors of the day were divided between Jockeys Bell, Corcoran and Parke, and it was a remarkable coincidence that Bell rode the winners of the first two races. Corcoran won the third and fourth, while Parke cleaned up the last third of the card.

Frank Monroe Leads Big Field.

Corcoran's other winner was the old gelding Frank Monroe, which easily beat a field of eleven others over a course of a mile and a sixteenth. The nine-year-old son of Nealon liked the going, was up with the leaders for three-quarters of the journey and then moved to the front to win well in hand. Frank Monroe was the public choice at 7 to 2. Waukeag took the place and the short end went to Young Adam. The time was 1:56 4-5 and the winner carried top weight of 112 pounds.

Bell's first winner was the favorite, Walter J. Salmon's two-year-old colt Carlton, in the opening dash of five and a half furlongs. The son of Jim Gaffney lost ground by going wide, but came steadily in the stretch and drew away in the last sixteenth to win by a length from J. Livingston's Levoy. Everglade got the show money. The winner was held at 13 to 5 at post time over a field of ten others.

In the second race Bell had the mount on Mrs. A. B. Alexandra's Colin gelding Care Free, which ran in improved form, showing good speed, to win by a length from Kingsciere over the six-furlong route. Aladdin was two lengths back to take the short end. Gurney, the public choice, showed dull speed and retired after going three furlongs to finish fifth. Care Free was backed down from a high of 15 to 1 to 6 to 1 at post time.

Reliability in First.

Parke's first winner was the Sunflower Stable's four-year-old filly Reliability in the race at a mile and a sixteenth for three-year-olds and upward. Eleven went to the post. Reliability made the pace all the way, but Parke had to ride his best to land her home in front. A blanket would have covered the first three to finish, the winner being a head in front of the favorite, Bowspirit, which led Mock Orange by the same margin past the winning post.

The final race was also over the course of a mile and a sixteenth, and Parke rode S. Gooch's Flying Devil to victory over four others. The winner was the favorite at 7 to 5 in the betting. He took the lead after six furlongs had been run and outstayed R. T. Wilson Jr.'s Ducks and Drakes. L. J. Brown's Wrangler took third money.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For two-year-olds; maidens; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Charitan, 105 pounds (Bell), 13 to 5, even, 1 to 2, first; Levoy, 115 (Farland), 3 to 2, 3 to 5, second; Everglade, 115 (Burke), 2 to 1, third. Time—1:11 2-5. Little Alfred, Telescope, Exchange, Lady Burrows, Maurie Cohen, Troutwick, Annamary and Fausto also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Care Free, 112 pounds (Bell), 6 to 1, 3 to 2, 6 to 5, first; Kingsclere, 107 (Harvey), even, 1 to 2, second; Aladdin, 112 (Corey), 2 to 1, third. Time—1:18 1-5. Tender Seth, Gurnor, Rhinegold, Martha Moore, Kirah and Rock Bottom also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-sixteenth. Frank Monroe, 112 pounds (Corcoran), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, first; Waukeag, 102 (Farland), 6 to 2, 7 to 5, second; Young Adam, 107 (Kaiser), 2 to 1, third. Time—1:56 4-5. Huckleberry Finn, Our Birthday, Our Betsy, Cantilever, Hutchison; Camoufleur, Farewell Taps, Miss Em and Panjandrum also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For two-year-olds; the Bonnabel Handicap; purse $1,000; six furlongs. Anne, 105 pounds (Corcoran), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, first; Blotter, 113 (Kederis), even, 1 to 2, second; Beautiful Addie, 106 (Farland), 1 to 5, third. Time—1:18 4-5. Deronda, Julia M., Dobson and Phoebe Snow also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-sixteenth. Reliability, 108 pounds (Parke), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Bowspirit, 106 (Corcoran), 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Mock Orange, 107 (Wallace), 5 to 2, third. Time—1:56 4-5. Straight Shot, Honolulu Boy, Nohow, Manakin, Timbrel, Teddy Toast, Dentaria and Iron Boy also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-sixteenth. Flying Devil, 107 pounds (Parke), 7 to 5, 1 to 5, out, first; Ducks and Drakes, 107 (Nickolson), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, second; Wrangler, 107 (Farland), out, third. Time—1:55 2-5. Majority and Stump Jr., also ran.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. *Glory of the Seas II. 97 pounds; First Blush 105, Agnes' Land 110, Rita 105, *Ray Ennis 105, Tallahallagal 102, Rog 110.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; two-year-olds; claiming; five and a half furlongs. *Ouida 101 pounds, Asa Jewell 104, Dixon's Pride 109, Red Mill 106, *Somerby 105, *Kutra 106, Neptune 108, Blue Bill 115.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming, six furlongs. *Secret Valor 100 pounds, Le Bleuet 110, Smite 110, Armedee 105, Weinland 110, Verde 110, Cleaf Stream 107, Toy Along 110.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Betty Mae 99 pounds, *Huttontrope 103, *Joe Underwood 107, Wawona 108, Kantmara 99, Financial Roaster 104, Estrager 107, Glenn 115, Melba Polly 101, Gemilyet 107, *The Pirate 107.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. *Finday 98 pounds, By Jiminy 107, Jolly 108, Rachel D. 105, *Marionette 107, Forest Queen 107, Topango 108.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; purse; mile and a sixteenth. *El Coronel 101 pounds, *Flying Prince 101, Sandy H. 111, Conundrum 102, Montillo 106, *Tan II. 101, *Fiametta 104.

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3 POLO STARS PLAY FIRST INDOOR GAME

Strawbridge, Hitchcock and Belmont Compete in Squadron A Contest.

YELLOW JACKETS TRIUMPH

Beat Red Jackets by 8½ Goals to 2 Before Crowd of 400—Riding Club Loses.

The Yellow Jackets, with Robert E. Strawbridge Jr. of Philadelphia in their line-up, defeated the Red Jackets in an indoor polo game at the Squadron A Armory, Park Avenue and Ninety-fourth Street, last night by the score of 8½ to 2. Thomas Hitchcock Jr., a member of the American international cup team, and Morgan Belmont were in the line-up of the Reds. The game marked the first appearance of the three national polo stars in an indoor match and in honor of the occasion a dinner was tendered them before the game. A crowd of approximately 400 spectators saw the match.

In a preliminary game the Squadron A team defeated the Riding Club by the score of 5½ to 4½. The losing team was allowed two points by handicap.

Unaccustomed as they were to the hitting of the ball off the side wall, Hitchcock, Belmont and Strawbridge were considerably handicapped in their play and in spite of the fact that the two first did valiant work with their mallets the superior team work of R. H. Post Jr., No. 2, and Archer W. Kinney, No. 1 on the Yellow Jackets, was too much for them. The familiarity of these two with the indoor game enabled them to take the ball off the side wall, feed it up forward in position for a direct shot at goal.

Kinney Plays Star Game.

The story of the game was the story of Archer Kinney's scoring. He is an indoor polo player par excellence, and few men approach him in his ability to play off the boards, to pick a ball out of a tight scrimmage and to coax the rubber through his adversaries' defense. He is as elusive as a will-o'-the-wisp, and of his teammates do not present him with opportunities he has a knack of making them for himself. Kinney scored five goals, several times taking the ball from midfield to the Reds' goal for a score.

Post fed up to his No. 1, but cost his team a full goal in penalties. Strawbridge was a real asset to his team. In addition to scoring three goals himself and keeping clear of his opponents he saved goal on many occasions by daring riding off and sharp work in the scrimmages when his own goal was threatened.

Team play among the Reds was conspicuous by its absence, chiefly because the No. 1 and the back were utterly unfamiliar with the vagaries of the rubber sphere when hit, the sharp dashes and the angles off the side walls. Belmont tallied only once for his side, while Cook failed to score, in addition to which he cost his side a goal and a half by transgressions of the rules.

Hitchcock was not at home in the confined space of the armory as he is in the wide spaces of an outdoor polo field. The big rubber ball was a puzzle to him. Once in a while he would get under way with one of his brilliant dashes only to fall ignominiously with a mighty swipe when the rubber sphere began one of its unexpected gyrations. He made several spectacular shots, however, that amazed the spectators who were not familiar with his terrific stroking on turf.

Game Spectacular at Times.

The game was spectacular at times and often very fast, but the play was uneven, as might be expected thus early in the season and taking into consideration the inexperience of half of the players at the indoor game.

The Yellow Jackets scored 10 goals, but lost 1¼ on fouls, two by Post and one by Kinney. Kinney was responsible for five of the goals, Strawbridge for three, and Post for the other two.

R. L. Lull, back on Squadron A, was the high scorer in the preliminary game, sending the ball through four times. W. E. B. Lyon, No. 1, and George Matthews Jr., No. 2, each tallied once. Matthews was guilty of one foul. W. H. Adams, G. C. Sherman and Burgoyne Hamilton, the members of the Riding Club team, each shot one goal.

The line-ups:

YELLOW JACK. (8¼). RED JACKETS (2).
1—Archer W. Kinney. 1—Morgan Belmont.
2—R. H. Post Jr. 2—T. K. Cooke.
Back—Strawbridge Jr. Back—T. Hitchcock Jr.
Goals—Kinney (5), Strawbridge (3), Post (2), Hitchcock (2), Belmont, Foul—Post (1), Kinney, Cooke (3), Belmont.

Squadron A (5½). RIDING CLUB (4½).
1—W. E. B. Lyon. 1—W. H. Adams.
2—Geo. Matthews Jr. 2—G. C. Sherman.
Back—E. P. Lull. Back—B. Hamilton.
Goals—Lull (4), Matthews, Lyon, Adams, Sherman, Hamilton, 2 goals by handicap.
Fouls—Matthews, Sherman.

Leo Roy Beats Tommy Noble.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—Leo (Kid) Roy, former featherweight champion of the British Empire, received the decision over Tommy Noble, British featherweight and holder of the Lonsdale Belt, after a ten-round bout tonight. Noble was floored twice in the first round.

Williams Again Signs Coombs.

Special to The New York Times.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Dec. 19.—Jack Coombs, former pitcher for the Philadelphia Athletics, will coach the Williams baseball team again next year, the Athletic Council here announced today. It will be his fourth season in charge of the Purple.

Chicago Bike Race Starts Jan. 5.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Chicago's second six-day bicycle race this season will start at the Coliseum Jan. 5 with the pick of the European and American teams in the competition, it was announced tonight.

Joe Dundee Outboxes Marchant.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19.—Joe Dundee, Baltimore lightweight, defeated Ted Marchant of England in a twelve-round bout here tonight.

TIJUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. Mr. X. 101 pounds, El Roble 101, Tomboola 111, The Gallant 111, Everywoman 101, Martha L. 111, Counsel 111, The Bee 107, Jolly Sailor 107, Olympiad 111, Double Van 111, Doves Roost 111.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and an eighth. Peter Pierson 99 pounds, The Wag 104, Cavalcador II. 106, Scraps 104, Bacchus 106, Sea Mint 108, Rusticator 100, Jordan 107.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for two-year-olds; six furlongs. Chestnut Girl 99 pounds, Captain Mac 108, Charles B. 105, Settle 110, Little Clair 112, Jean Melville 100, Great Finisher 103, Black Shasta 107, Whiff 110, Little Thistle 114, Seth's Memory 107, Overshot 104, Pretty Molly 107, Wild Jack 112.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for all ages; five and one-half furlongs. Fast Boy 102 pounds, Lisette 112, Tirsh 112, Fairlows 107, Ginger 112, Manikin II. 118, Little Bloss 100, Dick Turpin 112, Spread E

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GIBBONS WILL MEET CARPENTIER IN WEST

Minneapolis Club Is Planning to Stage Open-Air Bout Next Summer.

DESCAMPS AGREES TO BOUT

Minnesota Promoters Promise to Give Same Guarantee Offered by Rickard.

Special to The New York Times.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 19.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul's popular light-heavyweight, who gained world-wide recognition on July 4 by staying fifteen rounds with Champion Jack Dempsey, will meet Georges Carpentier of France in an open-air bout in Minneapolis next Summer under the auspices of the Hennipen Athletic Association.

Tommy Walsh, part owner and matchmaker for the Minneapolis fight club, left Tuesday night for Chicago to confer with Eddie Kane, Gibbons's manager, on terms for the bout. The information that the Mill City club was planning on staging the fight was disclosed today.

Walsh has been promised by François Descamps, Carpentier's manager, that the Frenchman would meet Gibbons in his home State, providing the Minneapolis club offers the same guarantee as proposed by Tex Rickard.

The Minneapolis club will meet Rickard's figures, it is said, and the officials are confident that they can satisfy Gibbons's demands. The Minnesota State boxing law limits bouts in Minnesota to ten rounds. No decisions are allowed.

NAVY FIVE BEATS MANHATTAN, 49-25

Trails by Two Points at End of First Half, but Dominates Play in Second.

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 19.—After playing loosely and allowing Manhattan to get a substantial lead, the Naval Academy basketball team found itself this afternoon and won by 49 to 25. The visitors were ahead, 15 to 7, during the first period, but the half ended with their lead cut to 16 to 14. Omelia played a great game for the visitors. G. Meenan also passed well. Craig took Harris's place during the half and it was his two goals from the floor which brought up the Navy's score. Harris returned to the game at the opening of the first half, Signer retiring. Harris scored twice from the floor early in the half, the Navy going one point ahead. Craig and Day scored swiftly in the remainder of the half, the visitors lagging as the game progressed. The line-up:

NAVY (49).		MANHATTAN (25).
Harris	L.F.	Omelia
Signer	R.F.	Conroy
Day	C.	G. Meenan
Barnes	L.G.	H. Gelkin
Matteucci	R.G.	Mulligan

Goals from field—Craig (7), Day (6), Harris (3), Ekstrum (2), Signer, Matteucci, Omelia (4), Conroy, Meenan, Mulligan. Goals from fouls—Harris 1 in 7, Craig 2 in 4, Day 2 in 5, Matteucci 2 in 3, Signer 0 in 2, Ekstrum 0 in 1, Gulick 0 in 1, Omelia 5 in 8, G. Meenan 2 in 4, E. Meenan 1 in 2, Steffins 2 in 2, Mulligan 1 in 1, Hamlin 0 in 1.

Substitutions—Navy: Craig for Harris, Harris for Signer, Ekstrum for Day, Day for Ekstrum, Gulick for Matteucci. Manhattan: E. Meenan for G. Meenan, G. Meenan for E. Meenan, E. Meenan for G. Meenan, G. Meenan for Conroy, Conroy for Mulligan, Hemlin for Steffins.

Referee—Yerth, Baltimore. Umpire—Ryon, Gilman. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

HARVARD FIVE VICTORIOUS.

Crimson Basketball Team Beats Middlebury by 39 to 17.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 19.—Harvard's basketball team easily defeated Middlebury, 39 to 17, at Heminway Gymnasium tonight in a fast game. The Crimson five played a brilliant passing contest and two new basket shooters were uncovered in the guards, Rudofsky and Samboroski, the pair tallying twenty of Harvard's points. For the visitors, Holquist and Knowles played well.

The line-up:

HARVARD (39.)		MIDDLEBURY (17.)
Smith	R.F.	W. F. Rice
Gordon	L.F.	Axtell
Coombs	C.	Fish
Samboroski	R.G.	Knowles
Rudofsky	L.G.	Holquist

Goals from floor—For Harvard: Rodofsky (5), Samboroski (5), Gordon (3), Smith (2), Rauh (2), Middlebury: Knowles (3), Lamb, W. Rice, Axtell, Fish, Holquist, Coombs. Goals from fouls—Coombs (2), Axtell (2), R. Rice, Rauh.

Substitutes—Harvard: Merriam for Gordon, Stevens for Smith, Maher for Samoroski, Rauh for Coombs, Merriam for Stevens.

Middlebury—R. Rice for Axtell, Lamb for R. Rice, R. Rice for Knowles.

Referee—Martin Souders. Umpire—Hector McGuiness.

ARMY FIVE WINS, 17 TO 15.

Defeats Connecticut Aggies in Close Contest—Vichules Stars.

Special to The New York Times.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Army got back into its winning stride at basketball today, but met with the most stubborn sort of opposition in winning from the Connecticut Aggies, 17 to 15. The Aggies were an aggressive, speedy quintet, which kept fighting until the final whistle.

Except for once late in the final half, when Army led 16 to 12, there was never more than a margin of 2 points separating the teams. At half time Army was leading 10 to 8.

Dunn's work at guard for the Aggies and Vichules's timely and accurate tossing from the foul line were outstanding features. It was Army's last game until after the holidays.

The line-up:

ARMY (17).		CONN. AG. (15).
Ellinger	R.F.	Seymour
Vichules	L.F.	O'Brien
McFarland	C.	Eddy
Strickler	R.G.	Dunn
Daleske	L.G.	Bitgood

Goals from field—Ellinger (5), Vichules (2), Seymour, O'Brien (4), Eddy. Goals from foul—Vichules 4 out of 7, Strickler 1 out of 4, O'Brien 1 out of 1, Dunn 1 out of 1, Bayleck 1 out of 1.

Substitutions—Connecticut Aggies: Bayleck for Dunn.

Referee—Mr. Reed, Springfield. Umpire—Mr. Benson, Columbia. Time of periods—20 minutes.

Breslin to Box Green Tonight.

Johnny Breslin, West Side flyweight, and Bobby Green of the home regiment will exchange blows in the main bout of ten rounds tonight at the 102d Medical Regiment Armory. In the semi-final bout of eight rounds Jack Mace and Billy Wells, National Guard welterweight rivals, will be opponents.

Basketball Results.

Army 17, Connecticut Aggies 15.
Navy 49, Manhattan College 25.
Harvard 39, Middlebury 17.
All Hallows 28, Manhattan Prep 18.
St. Paul Falls 24, Cathedral Prep 15.
Horace Mann 23, Hamilton Institute 14.
N. S. of Commerce 40, N. Y. Stock Exchange 32.
Union 20, Trinity 12.
Notre Dame 28, Northwestern 16.
Crescent A. C. 33, Catholic U. 20.
Cooper Union 38, New York Aggies 19.
Cooper Union Night School 33, Brooklyn College of Pharmacy 30.
Columbia Institute of Chiropractic 27, Manhattan Five 19.

Iowa State Erects Memorial To Trice, Football Player

AMES, Iowa, Dec. 19.—A bronze plate, on which is inscribed his last letter, has been placed in the gymnasium at Iowa State College by Athletic Letter-men in honor of Jack Trice, star tackle on this year's football team, who died of injuries received in the Minnesota game last Fall. An honor "A" was sent to his mother in Ravenna, Ohio.

LUIS FIRPO CABLES FOR U. S. OPPONENT

$3,200 Is Offer to American Heavyweight Willing to Meet Him in Buenos Aires.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 19.—Luis Angel Firpo, the heavyweight fighter, said today that he had cabled his representative in New York asking that he endeavor to arrange a fight between Firpo and Farmer Lodge or any other American heavyweight willing to come here, as he desired to satisfy the demand of his countrymen that he fight in Buenos Aires before he returns to the United States.

According to Firpo, the Women's Charity Association is prepared to pay 10,000 pesos ($3,300) to any American boxer who will fight him here under its auspices. Firpo has agreed to turn over his own share of the proceeds of the fight to the association.

Firpo says that the proposed fight must take place not later than the middle of February, as he intends to leave for the United States early in March. The Argentine fighter said he had no knowledge of any offer to arrange a fight between him and Bartley Madden.

Concerning his plans when he arrives in the United States, Firpo says his New York representative has notified him that he has closed negotiations for a fight between Firpo and Martin Burke at New Orleans. This will be the first of ten contests arranged for him in the United States and Canada before fighting either Jack Dempsey or Harry Wills. Baltimore, Quebec, Toronto and Montreal are on his itinerary for fights after he returns to North America.

BROWN TO PLAY CHICAGO.

Yale, Dartmouth and Harvard Also Appear on Football List.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 19.—A game with the University of Chicago at Chicago on Oct. 11, the second game of the season, is a feature of the Brown University football schedulle for 1924 as announced today by Director of Athletics Dr. Fred W. Marvel.

The Brunonians have stacked up against the Chicago outfit twice before. In 1896 the Westerners emerged victors by a score of 17 to 6, and in the following year Brown turned the tables by a score of 11 to 8.

Yale, Dartmouth, Harvard and Colgate, as previously announced, appear on the schedule this year, while Colby, Boston University and University of New Hampshire are familiar names upon the programs of past years which reappear for next season.

The schedule follows:

Oct. 4, Colby; 11, University of Chicago at Chicago; 18, Boston University; 25, Yale at New Haven; Nov. 1, Dartmouth at Hanover; 8, open; 15, Harvard at Cambridge; 22, University of New Hampshire; 27, Colgate.

NAVY TEAM IN CONDITION.

Folwell Sends Eleven Through Offensive Drill for Coast Game.

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 19.—The Naval Academy football squad has returned to typical mid-season condition, making it safe to work at a hard pace each afternoon. Scrimmages have been the rule this week and probably will be continued until Friday, and the team is expected to be in fine condition when it meets Washington at Pasadena on New Year's Day as it was when it encountered the Military Academy in New York on Nov. 24.

During the scrimmage this afternoon, Folwell put his charges through the whole program of offensive plays repeating them until precision was secured. McKee, Devens, Cullen and Shapley made up the backfield at the start, while Barchet, Flippin and Ballinger also were used.

Shewell was moved to left tackle, replacing Clyde, who lately has returned to the squad, while Walker was at right tackle. This probably will be the combination for the Washington game, all the other linemen being the same as those used at the start of the Army game.

W. & J. ATHLETES HONORED.

Athletic Council Awards Letters to 24 Football Men.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 19.—Varsity letters to the 24 members of the Washington and Jefferson football team of 1923 were awarded by the Athletic Council today. The council was rather liberal in its distribution of honors, awarding letters to fifteen men who previously had earned them. The players will vote on the 1924 captain in a few days.

Those who received the insignia follow:

Chester Widerquist, Captain; Al Creek, Chase Clements, William Berresheim, Charles West, Joe Basista, Herbert Kopf, James Futhey, Al Haddon, Lee Spillers, R. A. Marmony, Ross Buchanan, Walter Snyder, Ray McLaughlin, William Amos, Sidney E. Lewis, Charles W. Long, William L. Thomas, Charles H. Fetter, Guy L. Johnston, Glen Wild, P. W. Nicholas and Richard T. Jennings, manager.

BERRY ELECTED CAPTAIN.

Veteran End to Lead 1924 Football Team at Lafayette.

Special to The New York Times.

EASTON, Pa., Dec. 19.—Charles Berry of Phillipsburg, N. J., end on the Lafayette football team for the past three years, tonight was elected captain of the Lafayette eleven for 1924 at a meeting of the "L" men, preceding the annual dinner to the football team. Berry was graduated from the Phillipsburg High School and, in addition to playing end on the football team, is catcher of the baseball nine.

Dr. Jock Sutherland, retiring coach, who takes charge of the University of Pittsburgh team, succeeding Glen Warner, was the guest of honor at the dinner. No announcement was made concerning Sutherland's successor.

HARMON STOPS SUMMERS.

Scores Knockout in Fourth Round at Broadway Club.

Willis Harmon, east side welterweight, knocked out Johnny Summers, substituting for George Lavigne, in 2 minutes and 54 seconds of the fourth round of the main bout, scheduled for twelve rounds, at the Broadway Exhibition Association, Brooklyn, last night. Referee John McAvoy stopped the bout to save Summers from unnecessary punishment. Harmon weighed 156 pounds, Summers 148.

In the semi-final of twelve rounds, Corporal Izzy Schwartz, east side flyweight, won the decision over Bobby Ruttenberg of Reading, Pa. Both boys weighed 111 pounds.

OLD FIGHTER'S SON LOSES RING DEBUT

Casper Leon, Whose Father Faced Terry McGovern, Is Beaten by Bernie Bonetti.

A. A. U. STAGES FAST BOUTS

Many Knockouts Feature Contests in Metropolitan Boxing Tournament at Garden.

A handful of boxing followers witnessed the début of another Casper Leon at Madison Square Garden last night. This latest wearer of a name associated with ring history, a son of the Casper Leon who in the old days held the amateur bantamweight title and who once faced Terrible Terry McGovern, made his first bid for the fame his father once enjoyed in the preliminary round of the Metropolitan A. A. U.'s amateur boxing tournament.

Competing in the 112-pound class, Leon drew Bernie Bonetti, rugged Trinity Club flyweight. The judges decided against Leon at the end of three rounds. The lad was beaten simply because he lacked the polish his more experienced rival showed. Leon's showing was what could be expected of a lad making his first ring appearance. The youngster was a novice, and boxed like one. He was wild in his assault, which was willing, and never faltered despite the buffeting to which he was subjected, but Leon showed that he possessed latent ability, which undoubtedly will develop as he continues in the ring.

Leon's bout was one of eight decided in the flyweight class which furnished plenty of action. This class produced a remarkably quick knockout to start the evening when, in the first bout, Joe Cosvello, Glencoe A. C. boxer, knocked out Anthony Demle, unattached, in exactly forty-two seconds. Alfred Goldberg, Comet A. and S. Club, was the other knockout victor in the 112-pound class. He disposed of James Sciarille, Paulist A. C., in 2 minutes 42 seconds of the first round.

In the early bouts in the 126-pound class produced knockouts in two of three encounters. Andrew Gruber, unattached, who was overweight for the 126-pound class in which he originally entered, made an unsuccessful bid for honors in the next higher class, the 135-pound division. He was knocked out by Julius Breny, unattached, in the second round of their scheduled three-round set-to. The second session had progressed exactly 1 minute and 52 second when the battle ended.

Alfred Merrymond, unattached colored lightweight, next won a decision over Frank Galli, another boxer who was overweight for the 126-pound class, after four rounds of action which gave the slim crowd many a laugh. The cleanest knockout of the class was scored by Joel Stopler, an unattached southpaw, who disposed of Kasper J. Kristian, unattached, after 2 minutes and 13 seconds of the first round. A terrific left hook to the jaw floored Kristian for a flash in this battle and when he regained his feet he was knocked down and almost out of the ring with another left hook to the jaw. The summaries:

122-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—Joe Covello, Glencoe A. C., knocked out Anthony Demle, unattached, one round; George Mormando, unattached, defeated Hauke, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Ed Levy, Williamsburg Y. M. H. A., defeated Thomas Mormando, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Joe Ross, Trinity Club, defeated Andy Nelson, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Bernie Bonetti, Trinity Club, defeated Casper Leon, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Murray Hychman, Pastime A. C., defeated Anthony Sala, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Louis Levay, unattached, defeated Vincent Pallotta, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Alfred Goldberg, Comet A. and S. Club, knocked out James Scarillo, Paulist A. C., one round.

135-Pound Class (preliminary round)—Julius Breny, unattached, knocked out Andrew Gruber, unattached, two rounds; Alfred Merrymond, unattached, defeated Frank A. Galli, unattached, four rounds, judges' decision; Joe Stopper, unattached, knocked out Kasper J. Kristian, unattached, one round; Joseph Grecco, unattached, defeated William Beckerman, Trinity Club, three rounds, judges' decision.

160-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—Joseph W. Lamb, Pastime A. C., knocked out Vincenzo Valicenti, unattached, one round; Ted Stanislaw, Trinity Club, defeated Harry Carlson, Swedish-American A. C., three rounds, judges' decision.

126-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—Harry Wallach, Willie Beecher's Gymnasium, knocked out Moe Joseph, Union Settlement A. C., two rounds; Anthony Divodi, Greek-American A. C., knocked out Tom Sullivan, unattached, one round; James Prodo, unattached, knocked out Alfred Lee, New York Evening High School, one round; Bernard Cohen, Educational Alliance, defeated Louis Podesto, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision.

112-Pound Class, Preliminary Round—Saro Reina, unattached, knocked out Sebastian Vargas, unattached, one round; Patsy Ruffalo, St. Anselm's A. C., knocked out Alex Freleigh, Trinity Club, two rounds; Patsy White, Y. M. C. A., knocked out Jack Lowaro, unattached, one round.

138-Pound Class—Murray Israel, Trinity Club, defeated Freddie Ross, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Cass Hart, unattached, knocked out Jack Mandesmalle, Y. M. C. A., one round.

126-Pound Class, Second Trials—Merrymond won from Breny by default and Wallach won from Charles Schango, Cherry Hill A. C., by default.

COOPER UNION FIVE WINS.

Defeats New York Aggies, 38-19—Grebiec Scores 14 Points.

Cooper Union defeated the New York Aggies, basketball team on the former's court last night by the score of 38 to 19. The winning combination outclassed its opponent at the start of the game, piling up a lead of 23 to 5 in the first half. The two teams battled on fairly even terms in the second period.

Grebiec, right forward, scored 14 of the winning points on six goals from field and two from the foul line. Prince, his running mate at left forward, caged the ball four times from the field and added two points on free throws.

The line-up:

COOPER UNION (38).		N. Y. AGGIES (19).
Prince	L.F.	Van Veit
Grebiec	R.F.	Boyer
Nathan	C.	Pellet
Thompson	L.G.	Grossman
Judson	R.G.	Kollmayer

Goals from field—Grebiec (6), Prince (4), Nathan (3), Thompson (3), Boyer (3), Kollmayer (3), Pellet. Goals from foul—Grebiec (2), Prince (3), Nathan (2), Kollmayer (5).

Substitutions—Cooper Union: Cartens for Thompson, Hanske for Judson. New York Aggies: Lotti for Pellet.

Referee—Green, Rinney, Yale. Time of halves—20 minutes.

ITALIAN BOXER ARRIVES.

Gianchi, Flyweight, Is Here, but Spalla Fails to Appear.

Lee Gianchi, Italian flyweight, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Duilio from Italy to make a study of American boxing methods. He plans to go immediately to Detroit, where he expects to undergo an indefinite period of training under the direction of R. Eolario. Gianchi intends to engage in a few bouts while in this country.

A delegation of Italian boxing followers awaited the arrival of the Duilio in the hope of getting a glimpse of Ernilio Spalla, Italian heavyweight champion, who lately has been cabling challenges to Jack Dempsey, world's champion, and Luis Angel Firpo, Argentine giant. An announcement sent out last Monday stated that Spalla was a passenger on the Duilio, but a careful inspection of the first and second class cabin passenger lists failed to disclose the expected newcomer. Inquiry among Italian sportsmen on the ship elicited the information that Spalla still was in Italy, training in Milan in anticipation of a bout against Georges Carpentier.

Swiss Council Votes to Pay Expenses of Olympic Team

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 19.—The National Council, or lower house of Parliament, today adopted the Federal Council's proposal to appropriate 85,000 francs to defray the expenses of the Swiss Olympic team. The State Council, or upper house, recently rejected the proposal, but is to reconsider it. It is expected the National Council's decision will finally prevail over the opposition to the grant, which has been chiefly based upon the argument that the Paris Olympics would not be truly international with Germany not admitted.

CRESCENT A. C. FIVE DOWNS CATHOLIC U.

Brooklyn Team Beats Washington Collegians, 33 to 25, for Its Sixth Straight Victory.

In a game filled with exciting play, the Crescent A. C. basketball team defeated the Catholic University of Washington five last night in the Crescent Club gymnasium by the score of 33 to 25.

The Brooklyn team outplayed its opponents throughout the game until the last two minutes, when the visitors staged a strong rally and scored eight points.

At the end of the first half the Crescents lead at 17 to 10. In the second half the Catholic University did not score for fifteen minutes. It was the sixth straight victory for the Brooklyn team.

Kurtz played a sensational game at left forward for the Crescents. He scored eight field goals and three times on free throws for a total of 19 points. Sim and Barker, a substitute, were the other high scorers for the winning combination, the former tallying three times from the floor and the latter twice. Breslin, left forward, was the high scorer for the Catholic University. He was responsible for eight of the team's points, gained in three field goals, and two free throws. Lawyer, left guard, and Lynch, right guard, each scored seven points.

The line-up:

CRESCENT A. C. (33)		CATHOLIC U. (25.)
Kurtz	L.F.	Breslin
Parmele	R.F.	Eberts
Provost	C.	Fitzgerald
Crabtree	L.G.	Lawler
Sim	R.G.	Lynch

Goals from field—Kurtz (6), Sim (3), Barker (2), Parmele, Breslin (3), Lawler (3), Lynch (3).

Goals from foul—Kurtz (3), Parmele, Sim, Garvin (2), Breslin (3), Fitzgerald (3), Lawler, Eberts.

Substitutions—Crescent A. C.: Barker for Parmele, Lynch for Provost, Nickolas for Sim, Roth for Kurtz. Catholic University: Garvin for Eberts.

Referee—John O'Brien, St. John's College. Time of periods—20 minutes.

YALE BEATS McGILL, 1 TO 0.

Turnbull's Goal Is Only Score in Brilliant Hockey Victory.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 19.—A goal in the second period by Harrison Turnbull proved the only score in Yale's brilliant hockey victory over McGill University here tonight, 1 to 0. Yale forced the play throughout, but brilliant stops by Norris, the Canadians' goal tender, back the attacks with regularity until Turnbull sent the puck into the net with a difficult side shot.

A stubborn attempt was made by the visitors to tie the count in the third and last period, but their efforts were successfully checked.

The line-up:

YALE (1).		McGILL (0).
Turnbull	R.W.	McNaughton
Scott	L.W.	O'Donnell
Chisholm	C.	McGerigle
Ferguson	R.D.	Wise
Potts	L.D.	Dempsey
Ives	G.	Morris

SCORE BY PERIODS.

Yale	0	1	0—1
McGill	0	0	0—0

Goal—Turnbull.

Substitutions—Yale: Cole for Potts, Stout for Chisholm, Ferguson for Sargent, Farrington for Turnbull, Farnsworth for Scott, Cottle for Ferguson. McGill: Bell for McGerigle, Wise for O'Donnell, Glenny for McNaughton.

Stops—Ives 16, Morris 15.

Referees—E. P. Sands and W. J. Stewart, Boston. Periods—3 of 15 minutes each.

PARSON GAINS GOLF FINAL.

Defeats Scofield in Pinehurst Play —Meets Randolph Today.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 19.—Donald Parson of Youngstown, Ohio, today defeated E. L. Scofield of Pinehurst by 4 and 2 in the semi-finals of the golf tournament for all-season members and will be opposed tomorrow by F. S. P. Randolph of Piping Rock. Randolph came through to the final by a 3 and 2 victory over John D. Chapman of Greenwich.

Parson played a fine round of 35, 38—73. He was one up at the turn, when he won the ninth with a birdie 3. Coming in he took the 443-yard twelfth with a birdie 4 and the fourteenth and sixteenth holes in par figures.

Randolph was two up on Chapman at the turn, but lost the eleventh and twelfth holes, squaring the match. He took the fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth, however, and won with a card of 39, 36—75.

Krug Meets Gans Tonight.

A twelve-round bout between Phil Krug, Newark middleweight, and Italian Joe Gans of Brooklyn will feature the boxing card tonight at the Hink Sporting Club, Brooklyn. Six-round bouts have been arranged as follows: Billy Gallagher vs. Danny Cohen, Charlie Delecarti vs. Joe Reed; Danny Maher vs. Fred Mace; Johnny Hamm vs. Harry Harvey.

Norway Enters Ski Team.

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CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 19.—Norway has decided to send seven of its best ski jumpers to the Olympic games at Chamonix.

BRITISH GOLF STARS WELCOMED TO U. S.

Havers and Ockenden Are Guests of Honor at Luncheon at the Biltmore.

Great shots of the past, the stymie, smooth and scored clubs, a lighter ball and other topics that pop up whenever golfers get together at the dematured nineteenth hole were topics that came up for discussion yesterday noon at the Hotel Biltmore. The occasion was a luncheon in honor of the two British stars who are visiting America—Arthur Havers, the British open champion, and James Ockenden, who won the French open title last Summer.

The function was presided over by Grantland Rice and was attended by "Long Jim" Barnes of Pelham, representing the Professional Golfers' Association of America; Cuthbert Butchart of the Westchester-Biltmore, James West of Rockaway Hunting Club, J. C. Pundeford, Golf Secretary of the Westchester-Biltmore, and the golf writers.

Havers, called upon for a few remarks, told of the immense amount of cordiality that exists between the two countries as a result of the exchange of visits that have been made in the past and said that the British pros were anxious to have the Americans come to England for the British open next year.

"I wish I had a quid," said he, "for every time I was told of the good time that was in store for me on my trip. All the boys who have been over are forever talking about the wonderful receptions that they have received at the hands of American golfers."

Barnes, welcoming the two Britons in behalf of the P. G. A., assured them of the co-operation of the members of that organization.

Havers is a modest chap, not prone to speak of his own achievements, some of which were recalled by Barnes and others who had witnessed some of them. Informally, however, he touched upon a few topics that are in the limelight at the present time.

He said he believed that the majority of the British professionals were in favor of keeping the ball at its present standard. He added that he believed that the average golfer got a tremendous amount of satisfaction out of a long drive. Commenting on the barring of ribbed and scored clubs, he said that he felt that the scoring was valuable only as an aid. "To get results with a ribbed club," he said, "requires great accuracy, and mastery of the stroke enables you to play with far more precision so far as the pin is concerned."

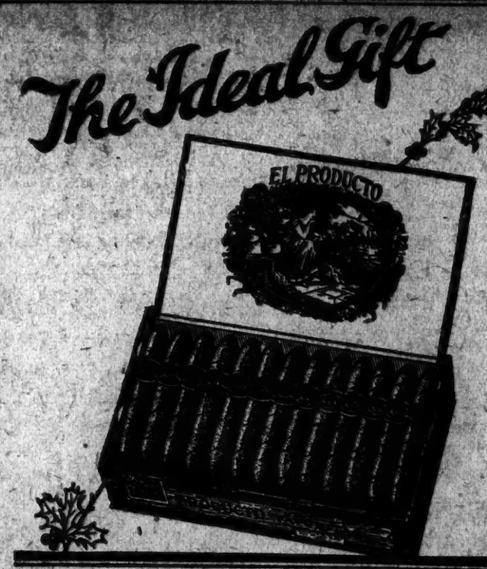
He said that so far as he was concerned he favored the abolition of the stymie rule for the reason that he did not think it fair that a man should be penalized by another's bad shot as so often happens in the case of the stymie.

FORDHAM TO HONOR TEAM.

Football Players Will Receive Letters at Dinner Tonight.

The annual football smoker for Fordham's football team will be held tonight in the College Auditorium. Fifteen players will receive their insignias at the reception. Gold footballs will be awarded the letter men and silver ones to the other members of the squad.

Two world's boxing champions, Mike McTigue and Mickie Walker, as well as Jack Britton, former welterweight champion, will give exhibitions in boxing. A wrestling match will also be staged between two leading professional matmen, Sailor Carroll and Young Muldoon.



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Phinney's Fast Attack Humbles Former National Champion by 15-4, 14-18, 15-10.

COWARD BEATS WHITLOCK

Loses First Game, but Easily Wins Next Two—Bomeisler and Cordier Also Reach Semi-Finals.

Morris Phinney of the Harvard Club and Auguste J. Cordier, Thomas R. Coward and Douglas M. Bomeisler of the Yale Club reached the semi-final round of the national handicap squash tennis tournament at the Yale Club yesterday. Phinney followed up his victory over Carrol Cooney of Yale on Tuesday by defeating F. Van S. Hyde of the Harvard Club, one of the two players rated minus 10 in the tournament. The match went to three games, but Phinney won by a fairly big margin at 15—4, 14—18, 15—10.

Coward, the other minus 10 player, put out F. S. Whitlock, the third Harvard survivor, who was rated minus 6. Whitlock took the opening game but was overwhelmed in the next two, passing from the play at the score of 9—15, 15—6, 15—6. Cordier advanced at the expense of Lawrence Bradford, a clubmate, at 15—10, 15—7, and Bomeisler put out C. Martin, also of the Yale Club, after losing the opening game, at 11—15, 15—6, 15—7. Phinney will meet Cordier in one of the semi-finals and Coward and Bomeisler will come together in the other. Phinney was the star of the afternoon by defeating Hyde, who is a former national champion and who holds a victory over R. Earl Fink, the present national titleholder, to his credit this season. Playing beautiful squash and enjoying a handicap of 11 points, Phinney ran away from his opponent in the first game. Hyde was slow in warming to the play and before he had made the ten points that pulled him from minus to plus in the scoring Phinney had gained a commanding lead. Four more points were all that Hyde could win before the other had gone out for the game.

Keeps Hyde on Jump.

Phinney's speed was irresistible in the first game. He persistently smashed with all his power, never slackening his pace, and, keeping Hyde on the jump to handle his strokes. Had it not been for the former champion's keen sense of anticipation he would have been more decisively defeated in the opening game than he was. Phinney continued his vigorous style of play in the second game, mauling the ball and darting about the court to get back everything. Hyde improved in his game and had pulled up from minus ten to zero by the time that Phinney had won three points, making the score 4—0 in the latter's favor.

The former titleholder gave an impressive exhibition of savage smashing, hitting the ball with terrific power. It did not take him long to catch his club mate and the two fought nip and tuck until the game was set at 13—all. Hyde's service then proved a valuable factor and he won five points while the other was getting one, taking the game at 18—14.

In the third game Phinney had too much in reserve for the other to cut down his handicap. The winner made capital of his service, smashed the ball with undiminished force and never let down in his relentless following of the ball. Hyde fought valiantly to overtake him, but the task was too big.

Coward Starts Slowly.

Coward, like Hyde, did not find himself until the second game of his match with Whitlock. After dropping the opening chapter at 15—9, the former champion began a session of smashing that put the other on the defensive and kept him there for the rest of the match. Two points were all that the Crimson representative won in each of the last two games, giving him a total of 6 with his handicap of four.

Cordier, playing from minus 6, experienced no great difficulty in overcoming Bradford, who started from scratch. Superior speed and less error-making gave him the advantage in both games and Bradford never threatened. Bomeisler dropped the first game to Martin before he was able to get going. After that Martin was fighting a defensive battle, in spite of the fact that he enjoyed a handicap of 6 points.

The summaries:

Fifth Round—Morris Phinney, Harvard Club (plus 1) defeated F. Van S. Hyde, Harvard Club (minus 10), 15—4, 14—18, 15—10; Auguste J. Cordier, Yale Club (minus 6), defeated Lawrence Bradford, Yale Club (scratch), 15—10, 15—7; Thomas R. Coward, Yale Club (minus 10), defeated F. S. Whitlock, Harvard Club (minus 6), 9—15, 15—6, 15—6; Douglas M. Bomeisler, Yale Club (minus 5), defeated C. Martin, Yale Club (scratch), 11—15, 15—6, 15—7.

STARS TO SKATE TONIGHT.

Olympic Team Will Make Last Met. Appearance at Iceland.

America's speed and figure skaters will make their farewell metropolitan appearance at Iceland tonight before leaving for the Olympic championships at Chamonix, France, on Jan. 1. Tomorrow morning the speed-skating team, consisting of Joe Moore, William Steimetz, Harry Kashey, Duke Donovan and Valentine Bialis, will go to Pittsfield, Mass., where it is scheduled to compete in a series of outdoor races. At Pittsfield the group will be joined by Charles Jewtraw, the other member of the American team, and Charles Gorman of St. John, N. B., one of Canada's representatives in the Olympics.

At Iceland tonight there will be two pursuit races for the Olympic speed skaters and several exhibitions by the figure skaters. In addition, Manager Webb has arranged a Class A half-mile handicap and a Class B one mile handicap for men, and a Class A quarter-mile and novice quarter-mile for women.

WILL BUILD AN ICE RINK.

West Side Tennis Club's Plant to Be Lighted at Night.

The West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills, L. I., scene of the Davis Cup match and the team match between the English and American women players, will build an ice rink on its courts adjacent to the concrete stadium. The money to defray the cost of construction has been raised and the work will go forward promptly.

In connection with the new rink the club house will be kept open and heated as a rendezvous for members and their guests, permitting the use of lockers for storing skates and skating costumes. A skating house will be erected at the rink side for the use of skaters and it is planned to light the rink electrically. It is probable that during the Winter there will be exhibitions of fancy skating, costume carnivals and similar features.

CANADIANS TO MAKE TOUR.

Toronto Hockey Team Will Play Five Games in East.

TORONTO, Dec. 19.—The University of Toronto hockey team will play five games against American opponents in Boston during a holiday trip. They will be with Boston College, Dec. 25; Dartmouth, Yale or the United States Olympic team, Dec. 29; Boston University, Jan. 1; and Harvard, Jan. 3 and 4.

Scott to Play Portland High.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 19.—Scott High School, interscholastic football champions of the United States, will play an intersectional game with the Columbia Prep School team of Portland, at Portland, Ore., New Year's Day.

MOTOR BOAT BODY NAMES 1924 DATES

Gold Cup Will Be Decided at Detroit—Southern Season Opens Feb. 21.

An interesting schedule of motor boat racing for the season of 1924 has been formulated by the American Power Boat Association. The list of events as given out yesterday has for its feature, as usual, the Gold Cup, which will be decided at Detroit under the auspices of the Detroit Yacht Club on Aug. 30 and Sept 1, the trial heats being run on the first-named date. This race was won last year by Packard-Chriscraft, owned by J. G. Vincent of the Detroit Yacht Club, the distance being ninety miles.

Winter racing in Southern waters is the first to take the attention of the motor boat men. The regatta of the Palm Beach Yacht Club will occupy the speed fans on Feb. 21 and 22. On March 7 and 8 the annual Southern regatta will be decided on the Flamingo course off Miami Beach and at Miami. The Havana Yacht Club will hold its regatta in Havana Harbor on March 15 and 16.

The Summer racing season in New York waters will open on June 20 with the start of the New York to Atlantic City and return race under the auspices of the Columbia Yacht Club. The total distance of this race, which was won last season by Nueva, owned by T. W. Brigham of the Shelter Island Yacht Club, is 225 miles. On June 28 the express cruiser championship of America will be decided at Middletown, Conn., under the auspices of the Middletown Yacht Club.

Western racing among the motor boats will open with the regatta of the Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association, which will be held at Oshkosh, Wis., July 2 to 6.

The handicap cruiser championship of America will be decided at Shelter Island under the auspices of the Shelter Island Yacht Club, July 4 and 5. The Chicago regatta, a big event of Western motor boat racing, will be held July 27 to Aug. 3, and at Buffalo the annual regatta of the Buffalo Launch Club is scheduled for Aug. 14 and 16.

YALE WINS RIFLE MATCH.

Defeats De Pauw University Team by 1,830-1,770 Score.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 19.—Yale today won the first dual rifle match of the season, defeating De Pauw University of Greencastle, Ind., 1,830 to 1,770. The match was conducted in all positions, sitting, kneeling, prone and standing.

The scores:

Yale—Rider, 373; Holmes, 369; Elliott, 368; Ralph, 365; McArthur, 356. Depauw—McCoy, 375; Kenman, 340; Sandy, 350; Wilkinson, 348; Lee, 347.

SCHOOL HOCKEY TONIGHT.

Flushing to Meet Richmond Hill, Jamaica to Face Morris High.

Flushing will play Richmond Hill and Jamaica will meet Morris High in the resumption of the P. S. A. L. hockey tournament at the 181st Street Ice Palace tonight. The Jamaica sextet, which appears to be the strongest in the league, should win from Morris High, which has not won a league game so far. If they win tonight the Jamaica boys again will move into a tie for first place with Erasmus Hall.

The Jamaica hockey team includes Thompson, centre; Aschoff, left wing; Baylis, right wing; Langjhar, right defense; Binzing, left defense, and Fitzpatrick, goal.

Pirates Release Catcher Mattox.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19.—The outright release of Catcher James Mattox to the Wichita Falls club of the Texas League was announced today by the Pittsburgh Pirates. He came to Pittsburgh in 1922 from the Rochester club of the International League.

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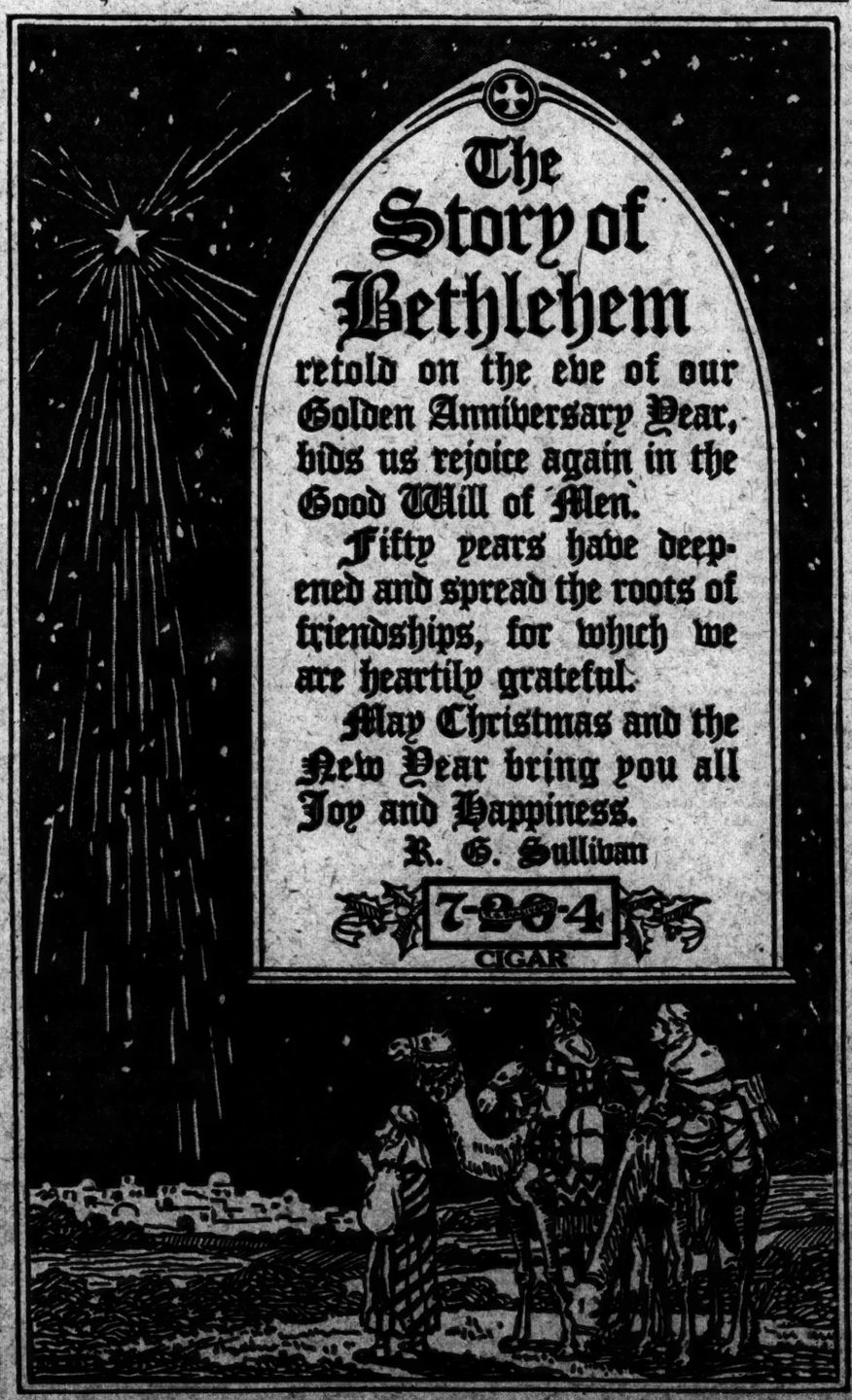

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FORD NOW A REACTIONARY.

By coming out in support of the President and publicly declaring that "I would never for a moment think "of running against CALVIN COOLIDGE "for President on any ticket what-"ever," HENRY FORD has shattered one charge often brought against him. It is that he has no political courage. That slander cannot live after his statement yesterday. But he must know that it will lay him open to the most violent personal attacks. The miscellaneous lot of dreamers who have been trying to hold some sort of convention, in some city or other, in order to nominate Mr. FORD for the Presidency, will now not only assert that the glory is departed from their hero, but will soon be covering him with the abuse that they have been so freely heaping upon reactionaries and plutocrats. As for the oracular gentlemen who have been asking everybody to mark their words while they stated that this man FORD would sweep the country because the people believed in him, they will now have to demonstrate their superhuman sagacity by explaining just how this thing has happened.

Did Mr. COOLIDGE bribe HENRY FORD with a renewed offer of Muscle Shoals? Is it the sorrowful fact that the deceitfulness of riches has at last got the better of the monarch of the automobile world, so that he thinks more of getting rid of his own surtaxes than he does of righting the wrongs of the plain people? It is too soon to say just what theory of the Ford great betrayal will prevail, but it is certain that one will presently become current and will be made as damaging as possible to the motives of Mr. FORD.

Whether the Ford reinforcement is a piece of luck for President COOLIDGE may be disputed. Senator HIRAM JOHNSON said ruefully a few weeks ago that Mr. COOLIDGE is the luckiest man in public life, and that something is always occurring to give him popularity. The Ford endorsement may not give him this. But it will give pain to an extraordinary number of foolish wanderers in the political desert. Their Moses has abandoned them. Where shall they turn now for one to lead them into the Promised Land? Their depression and grief will no doubt be sincere, yet to onlookers it cannot fail to be amusing. Not without unholy glee can political observers see such a heterogeneous array of engineers of a new party simultaneously hoist with their own Ford.

A LONE STAR CANDIDATE.

Governor PAT NEFF of Texas was approved by the Democratic Executive Committee of that State Sunday as the Democratic candidate for President. He had already approved himself to the Extra-Drys by his resonance at the conference of Governors. So sure was he of his calling and nomination that he gave his illustrious black broad-brimmed hat to his Republican brother in good words and works, the Governor of Pennsylvania. Tuesday he thundered to a mass meeting:

> No ship that carries outlaw liquor should be allowed in an American harbor. Let the battleships that are in our harbors go out over the three-mile limit and sweep the seas free of the rum ships.

That is the talk. Mr. THOMAS B. LOVE of the National Democratic Committee may give Texas to Mr. McADOO. The friends of Mr. UNDERWOOD may imagine vain things about his prospects in Texas. Behind Mr. NEFF is an impregnable and increasing strength. Mr. BOWMAN, the Oklahoma Democratic National Committeeman, "is solidly for NEFF's nomination." When Governor NEFF ran for renomination he was marked "F"—favorable to the Ku Klux Klan—at the Democratic primaries. He has received an "F" from an even more august hand. Mr. BRYAN, that infallible selector and elector, has put him on his list. Mr. NEFF has written more than one message that, according to his own salient description, "wears whiskers." "The time may come and probably will," says a Houston journal, "when the Governor "will be forced by pressing circum-"stances to actively enter the race for "the nomination, but he is certain not "to do that unless and until that time "arrives." Utterances "electrifying," as The Austin American truly calls them, have been "purely volun-"tary utterances and without any "effort on Governor NEFF's part to "promote his own interests."

If the movement sweeps over the nation and becomes irresistible; if the office not only seeks the man but bids fair to grab him by the scruff of the neck, what can he do but yield? He is "the idol of the Texas people." He deserves at least a double "F" from the Extra-Drys. There is but a single thorn on his perfect rose of hope. Mr. BRYAN, whose unfailing candidate has had only three trials so far, has deviated from his usual practice in certifying PAT NEFF, too conspicuous and gorgeous to suit that fastidious taste. In 1924 he will be found recommending sending such statesmen as the Hon. Bildad Z. Tate of North Carolina, Judge Hocombe Marcellus Miggs of What Cheer, Idaho, and Colonel Magnum Kootz of Oregon. Beware of his dear, deluding wiles, PAT! Trust him not. He is fooling thee.

MR. HUGHES AND RUSSIA.

Mournful advanced thinkers are saying that Mr. COOLIDGE opened the door to Russia, TCHITCHERIN approached it hat in hand, but Mr. HUGHES slammed it in his face. This is hardly correct. Secretary HUGHES has merely said that he won't go out on the porch to talk to TCHITCHERIN; but that if TCHITCHERIN will wipe his feet and leave his shotgun in the vestibule, Mr. HUGHES will be glad to see him inside. Everything to which the Russians were willing to agree, after a conference, he asks them to do in advance. This may hurt their pride and their diplomatic prestige; but he does not demand anything which their own note does not profess willingness to do.

Mr. HUGHES does not promise "non-interference in Russian internal affairs," which was the fundamental Soviet demand. But there is no evidence that he is doing any interfering in Russian internal affairs. Our last interference in Russia was the sending of millions of dollars and hundreds of relief workers to feed starving peasants in the Communist paradise. Communist enthusiasts now and then accused the relief workers of being capitalist apies, but it is hardly to be supposed that the Bolsheviki will insist that they be left to feed their own starving hereafter. Why should they, when the capitalist world is willing to take care of them with its overflow?

More serious is the assertion of Mr. HUGHES about "continued propaganda "to overthrow the institutions of this "country." Our own joke Bolsheviki have been trying to make it appear that communism in America is able to stand on its own feet. The Volkszeitung declared yesterday that the Russian Government has no authority to order American Communists not to agitate against "the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie." One might infer from this that the Russians are willing to promise anything in the way of non-interference, and that any Communist agitations thereafter will be represented as the spontaneous outbursts of American citizens.

Secretary HUGHES need not expect that devout Communists will promise anything without a mental reservation; but promise and sincerity are less important than the conditions which at present make communism weak and despairing.

A CITY MUSEUM.

Acting Mayor HULBERT's proposal that the mansion and estate which Mr. ARCHER M. HUNTINGTON offers to the city for what is probably but one-quarter of its present value be used as a "departmental museum" is excellent. The only objection is that such a permanent exposition of the city's activities and public business should be more centrally located. It should be as accessible as the Grand Central Palace or the Natural History Museum or the Metropolitan Museum, so that not only a few thousands but hundreds of thousands can come to learn to what uses their taxes are put. It is conceivable, as Mr. WOODIN, who had charge of the city's Jubilee Exposition last Summer, intimated, that people who see the varied services into which their taxes are transmuted will more willingly pay them.

Temporary exhibits of this general nature were made in a downtown building near City Hall in an earlier Administration, but chiefly to enlighten the public as to pending budgets. It would be of high educational value to have a permanent exposition, with such annual changes as the city's business required. Its worth would be increased if it could be also the laboratory for studies in municipal administration, commerce and industry. The downtown site of the City College would offer foundation for a building which could house not only the classes that are carried on there by day and night, but also such a museum. The building offered by Mr. HUNTINGTON might be used as one of a series of branch museums for the several boroughs, but first of all as a place to make the initial experiment.

DUAL SUBWAY PLANS.

The traffic theory of the dual subway plan was to add seven tracks to those passing through the community centre, in such a manner that only two of the trains should be empty and five full. It is good news that the original conception is now to be carried out, with incidental minor amendments. No one will grudge disabled Mayor HYLAN his satisfaction in having carried his main point. The tracks from the Fourteenth Street tunnel into the Mayor's borough are to be built underground, not elevated as the contract calls for. The opposition was for good reason. The operating company had spent a half million of its own money in third-tracking the elevated to carry the tunnel traffic. But it now assents to subway construction on condition that means of transfer between the subway and the elevated are provided.

Much more important is the accommodation provided for Brooklyn's traffic at the crossing of Fulton Street and Flatbush Avenue. Sixteen tracks from Brooklyn's suburbs and every point of the compass focus at the De Kalb Avenue station of the subway. But there are only six tracks into Manhattan for trains which were to be operated there over two loops. One comes to a dead end at the Chambers Street station, at the Brooklyn Bridge, and cannot be used until the city fulfills its contract to build the subway through Nassau Street to a connection with the Montague Street tunnel. The other loop was to have been operated over the south tracks on Manhattan Bridge, now nearly unused. The non-operation of that loop is the cause of the Canal Street congestion, the dread of 50,000 passengers daily.

When these two loops are operated the trains through De Kalb Avenue station will be increased by half. Until then it would be worse than useless to run more trains into that congested station over a connection with the Fulton Street elevated at Ashland Place. The new plan provides for that connection at the earliest moment practicable.

Controller CRAIG shares the Mayor's triumph in claiming that the city has held the Brooklyn operator of half of the dual subway to operate under the contract the subways which the city has not yet constructed. It is a famous victory, marred only by the sad thought that all these great benefits might have been had years ago if the dual subway had been built as planned.

THE ARKANSAS HIGHWAY SCANDAL.

Relief for the farmers of Arkansas, impoverished by extortionate taxation for road building with Federal aid, has always been simple in theory: withhold Federal money until Arkansas sets its house in order. Abuses grew up in the co-operation of the State authorities with the Federal. Government money was so tempting that too many road improvement projects were launched. Their cost steadily and rapidly mounted. Road-building material was contracted for at inflated prices. Enormous bills for labor were incurred. The result was that assessments went "sky-high." Much as the farmers needed good roads, they did not want to lose their homesteads for unpaid taxes. On Nov. 4, 1922, the Taxpayers' League of Conway County petitioned President HARDING to order an investigation of conditions in Road Improvement District No. 4.

Conway County presented a case worse than the average. It was actually averred in the petition that taxation for road improvement in the district amounted to "at least 150 per "cent. of the assessed valuation of "lands in the district." It was charged that "the homes of the farm-"ers are being confiscated in direct "violation of the Constitution of the "United States and of the Constitu-"tion of the State of Arkansas." A receivership had been appointed upon application of attorneys for the bondholders. To understand this it must be explained that the Road Commissioners had placed, as State laws permitted, a mortgage upon 75,000 acres of land in Conway County. The suit brought by the bondholders was for foreclosure of the mortgage. "We seem," said Chairman W. R. WEBB in a letter to THE NEW YORK TIMES, which had brought the scandal to light, "to be the victims of a ring of "politicians, and we get no relief in "our courts."

That the Department of Agriculture, which is responsible for distributing Federal aid, has been indifferent to the plight of the Arkansans is, of course, untrue. Secretary WALLACE announced two years ago that he would refuse to approve any project for road construction in Arkansas until it had been put "in a proper condition of maintenance." It was then stated that Arkansas was the first State in the Union where, in order to safeguard the interests of the Government, it had been necessary to stop "progressive payments" for construction. Secretary WALLACE called the road program in Arkansas "overambitious." He declared that "the administration of road matters by the State was open to serious "criticism." Arkansas, he said, was the only State "which imposes upon "the land in restricted areas the en-"tire cost of improvements of gen-"eral benefit to the State." But he doubted whether the taxes were confiscatory in any of the districts receiving Federal aid. Nevertheless, the rate in some of the rural districts has caused acute distress to the farmers.

President COOLIDGE now directs Secretary WALLACE not to allot money to Arkansas pending a thorough investigation of charges made by the National Farmers' Union that "hundreds "if not thousands" of farms in Arkansas are in the hands of receivers because the owners "are unable to pay their highway taxes," and that the Federal Bureau of Highways is mistakenly giving its approval to the recently enacted Harrelson law, which perpetuates a bad system of financing road construction. One of the corrective is evidently State legislation with safeguards against waste and graft. Without it Federal aid, although given with the best intentions, may become a blight.

THE KING'S GOVERNMENT.

Mr. ASQUITH has now put it in the most positive words at his command that the Liberal Party will spurn every form of alliance or coalition, right or left. His hearers at the National Club applauded vehemently this declaration of independence. As a piece of party tactics it may be skillfully devised, but what is the prospect it holds out for the next few months? Merely a procession of feeble and vanishing Governments. The Conservatives will soon be turned out of office; then the plan is to give the Labor Party a chance, but short shrift; after that the hope held out to the Liberals is that they will be called upon to form a Government, which somehow will be permitted to live and be strong even though it has far less than a third of the members of the House of Commons. But at best this is a kaleidoscope held up before the country, not at all a Government which can do things at home and make itself respected abroad. DISRAELI's old gibe about a Government of "extinct volcanoes" would gain fresh appositeness if applied to the dreary succession of nerveless Ministries which Mr. ASQUITH contemplates with so much cheerfulness.

Something better will have to be discovered or invented if the King's business is to be carried on. It is a dismal prospect for the English people to think of two or three Prime Ministers following each other within a month or so, as AMURATH to AMURATH succeeds. And the worst of it is that even if there were to be a new general election in the Spring, there would be small likelihood that the relative strength of the three parties would be much altered. Then the strain upon Parliamentary government would be so severe as to threaten an entire break-down. Unless the English talent for compromise and floundering through has been exhausted, the indications are that some form of co-operation between the parties in the House of Commons will have to be adopted. Just now the various political leaders are seeking to outdo each other in vows that they will never consent to work with each other. This sounds nobly independent, but it is not business. It seems to illustrate the saying that the Englishman thinks that the only way to demonstrate his entire impartiality is to vote against his better judgment. There is something too much of this just at present, but in the end practical good sense will forget all about abstract principles and seek a means of conducting the public business.

A MEASURE OF CIVILIZATION.

Ex-Secretary BAKER, in his address to the Community Trust the other day, quoted GRAHAM WALLAS's definition of the measure of civilized progress as "capacity to co-operate." Applying such a test, he reached the conclusion that the City of Cleveland, being more highly co-operative in its community life than any other million people, was the most highly civilized. Not only has Cleveland a community chest, but it is the pioneer in establishing an institution known as the "community trust"—the "most im-"portant single contribution of our "generation to the art of wise giv-"ing," according to Colonel ATHAS, formerly of the Russell Sage Foundation, now a banker in Cleveland.

The general co-operation of the people of a community in gathering funds for existing charitable needs and the wise joint distribution of these funds is coming to be one of the marks of a progressive city. The community trust goes further. It seeks to release what is bequeathed for future needs from the grasp of the dead hand and to substitute the contemporary wisdom of succeeding generations. It serves especially to give those who cannot leave enough to warrant the establishment of separate foundations the opportunity to add their bequests to gifts of others of like purpose. It is, in short, to give the dead the continuing benefit of counsel and the power to avail of it.

It should be easily possible to make a co-operative institution of this character as serviceable relatively to this great metropolitan area as the community trust is to Cleveland. Such an organization, however, as a "com-munity chest" in this city, with twenty times as many institutions, associations and societies as Cleveland has (2,000 compared with Cleveland's 119), is not an immediate possibility, though there is and must be continuing progress toward complete co-operation. The Hundred Neediest Cases Fund comes, perhaps, nearer than any other to showing our capacity for co-operation, though on a small scale. It is a community chest from which provision is made for those most in need through those most highly competent to give the assistance. The increases from year to year in the contribution to the fund suggest a progress toward a higher state of civilization, measured in terms of actual co-operation, though the achievement still falls far short of real capacity. Here, at any rate, is a great common Christmas chest, into which one may give either the widow's mite or the larger sum (as did the unidentified woman who left $1,000 in cash at the office), knowing that it will be used with all the wisdom and kindliness that even the wisest and most philanthropic givers possess.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Turning Guns on Bandits.

Two cases were recorded yesterday, one over in Newark and the other in Rochester, in which men attempting what often has seemed to be the easy task of robbing the bearers of payroll cash met with prompt and effective resistance. In the New Jersey affair the result of the encounter was one dead bandit and three under arrest with sufficient evidence against them to insure long imprisonment. In Monroe County an even better record was made—two robbers shot dead and two captured and sure to do no more work of this kind for a good many years to come.

Other like instances have been reported of late, and it looks as if the honest citizen were developing anew those powers of self-defense which have tended to diminish as civilized people have come to trust more and more to the police for the protection of their lives and property. That was a commendable change, of course, with many and great advantages for the preservation of law and order. Of most good things, however, it is possible to have too much, and while there remain crimes of violence of a kind which policemen, though doing their very best, are not able to prevent, it behooves the honest man to be ready to fight in case of need. Such a crime is the one so often committed nowadays, for the robbers can choose for the point of attack any one of a thousand places, and they have on their side always the advantage of surprise. Their object effected, the ever-ready automobile whisks them away to safety—it does, that is, unless instant action can be taken against them by their selected victim and his guards.

If the latter can shoot, the hold-up trade becomes dangerous for its practitioners, for they know that whoever shoots at them will shoot to kill and will be praised in proportion to his skill.

Resistance Has its Dangers.

What gives the citizen attacked by highwaymen the right to use deadly weapons with whatever of deadliness he can command is the fact that his own life invariably is threatened. He can be by no means sure that he will be spared, even if he obeys the order of "Hands up!" and attempts no resistance. Many of the bandits are nervous tyros, without the professional criminal's reasoned reluctance to commit murder if he can help it, and it hardly is more dangerous to defy them than it is to submit to their demands.

That there is something of added peril in resistance cannot be denied, but the honest citizen is under an appreciable obligation to accept the increased risk, for him to do so is for the general advantage. Few hold-ups would be undertaken if it were known that every one of them would bring on a battle in which the robbers were as likely to be killed as those chosen for robbery.

To be sure, the police in their wisdom usually advise against the use of pistols by anybody except themselves, declaring the contest unequal when it is with a prepared and desperate criminal. They are right, and yet somehow they are wrong, since with all their courage and efficiency they cannot always be at hand to do their duty.

He Prevented Cruel Disappointment.

Beneficence of a somewhat novel sort is that of JESSE H. METCALF, a wealthy resident of Providence, R. I. There, as in many other cities, some of the banks have been conducting what are called Christmas clubs, the members of which, by making through the year small regular deposits, have, when the holiday season arrives, an amount of money proportioned to the size of their allotments for this purpose to be used in the buying of presents. One of the Providence trust companies that did this was closed by the Bank Examiner the other day, and some 3,000 depositors found that the money they had saved was out of their reach, at least until the affairs of the trust company could be looked into and settled up.

To these sorrowing folk Mr. METCALF has made the pleasing announcement that he will pay every one of them the full amount shown by their passbooks, and with the promised interest as well. Naturally he is a very popular man in Providence, and he deserves to be, for he has turned a lot of gloom into happiness. That he probably will get his money back in time, or most of it, does not decrease the value of what he has done, nor does it mean that he has incurred no expense, for he has had to hire a considerable number of clerks to attend to the eager club members and to see to it that none of his money goes to the speculators who were promptly on the ground after the trust company's suspension, buying up the club books at a large discount from par value. Mr. METCALF rightly determined that these enterprising persons could afford to wait for their profits.

A System Worth Our Copying.

It well illustrates the common sense which underlies the seeming levity of French minds that the French law does not recognize breach of promise to marry as a cause of action unless actual material damage can be proved to have resulted. They do not admit the possibility of paying with money for wounded feelings, and they hold that up to the very day of marriage either of two engaged people has a right to change his mind or hers.

The latest attempt—and failure—in Paris to overthrow this wise rule has just been made, curiously enough, not by a woman, but by a man. At any rate, he claims to be a man, but he must be a poor specimen of he would not have exposed himself to the derision which, much more than a woman, a man invites when he begins one of these always absurd suits.

No real man certainly, and no real woman almost certainly, ever would seek damages for breach of promise to marry who had not sunk low enough to advertise humiliation and try to capitalize it. As for the men who go to court for such a purpose once in a blue moon, be it said for the credit of the sterner sex—they cannot be characterized in terms fit to print, so let them go.

ON A "CLOSED ISSUE."

Two College Presidents Who Disagree With Party Leaders.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The New York Herald and other leading Republican newspapers and spokesmen of light and leading continue to harp upon the hundreds of thousands of votes which were polled in 1920 against the League of Nations. In this connection it is pertinent to cite the opinion of an eminent political philosopher on the true significance of President Harding's landslide. In his recent volume entitled "Public Opinion in War and Peace" President Lowell has this to say:

"Ratification of the Treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations having failed, many Republican Senators who had voted for the reservations and for ratification of the treaty after they had been adopted drifted, in their opposition to President Wilson, into a general attitude of hostility to the League. The Democratic campaign was conducted on the issue of the League, and therefore politicians assumed that the overwhelming Republican victory at the polls indicated that the people disapproved of such a League and preferred a strict policy of national isolation; whereas in fact the victory seems to have meant that the majority of the people desired to be rid of the Democratic Administration and would have elected a Republican candidate on almost any platform. On the policy of co-operating with other nations for the maintenance of peace the Republicans themselves were much divided, and it is by no means improbable that a majority of the people favored it, or would have done so if the Republicans had proposed some plan for it."

As to the treaties negotiated at the Washington Conference on Disarmament, the writer concludes that, "whatever other effect they may have, they are quite inconsistent with any thoroughgoing principle of national isolation."

It would be interesting to hear the comments of the distinguished senior Senator from Massachusetts upon this and similar passages in President Lowell's volume. J. E. WINSTON.

New Orleans, Dec. 15, 1923.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

President William A. Neilson of Smith College, speaking at Amherst Dec. 12, said that he disagreed with President Coolidge's message to Congress "that the League of Nations was a closed issue." Said President Neilson: "The recuperation of Austria is the greatest success of the League, even though the reign of peace and justice looked forward to has failed." To bring about a world peace, he added, "I propose that we join hands with our English brothers as the first step."

Any party in America that thinks the League of Nations is a closed issue had better retire from the political arena.

It is one thing to nominate a candidate. It is another to elect. Let the women of America who prefer a world peace to another world war rally to the League of Nations party.

WILLIAM K. PALMER.

Chicopee, Mass., Dec. 18, 1923.

Times Square Matinee Jam.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I notice that the Producing Managers' Association and the Interborough have been in conference with regard to the extra "jam" in the Times Square station caused by homegoing matinee crowds.

In this connection may I, as an ardent matinee "fan," call attention to the fact that if the theatre managers could persuade themselves to start performances punctually at 2 instead of 2:30 or later we, the matinee culprits, would be in the Times Square station by 4:30 or a few minutes later, and boarding trains as fast as we could.

I am convinced that audiences could reach theatres at 2 just as well as 2:30 if they wanted to and knew the curtain would surely rise at that time. Those of us who have to put dinner on the table after our return to suburban homes would greatly appreciate the extra half hour at that time.

(Mrs.) F. C. WELLS.

Brooklyn, Dec. 18, 1923.

Christmas Trees.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I am absolutely against the digging up of small trees and the cutting down of larger ones. Last year I spent Christmas in Germany, where any tree is at a premium, and I wondered at the large display of Christmas trees. Then I was told that, in the first place, no small trees are allowed to be dug up, and secondly, in most cases only the worthless crowns of large, mature trees, which are to be felled during the season, are chopped off and sold as Christmas trees. Perhaps this method could be introduced in this country. MRS. O. F. STEGE.

Brooklyn, Dec. 18, 1923.

One Way to Cut the Tax.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

If Congress has not time to enact a new income tax law, it could give relief to the taxpayers by simply authorizing them to withhold one of the quarterly payments due in 1924. If 25 per cent. is too great a reduction, a portion of a payment could be specified.

J. HOWARD COWPERTHWAIT.

New York, Dec. 17, 1923.

CHRISTMAS STREETS.

The streets are full of life and vivid cheer—
They glimmer like a splendid wonderland—
And we, like children, thrilling, hand in hand,
Can almost, through the tumult, seem to hear
The sound of silver sleigh bells, and the sound
Of reindeer hoofs shod with enchanted gold—
Our hearts are filled with happiness untold,
And yet, when we have paused to glance around,
We see a ragged child, her wee nose pressed
Against the brightness of some window glass—
We see an outcast shiver, and we pass
A slender woman who is thinly dressed. ° ° °

The streets are full of life and vivid glow,
But they are touched with want and grim despair—
The Christmas spirit, throbbing on the air,
Has filled some souls with loneliness and woe!

MARGARET E. SANGSTER.

PHILIPPINES AND PORTO RICO

Latter Possession Recovering From Its Struggle With Governor Reily.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

At a moment when the difficulties encountered by General Leonard Wood in the Philippines disclose the fact that the path of an official representative of the United States sovereignty in the so-called "possessions" is far from being strewn with sweet flowers, it would be well to focus our attention toward another American "ward" nestled in the Caribbean Sea, where the initial work performed in the direction of her public affairs by another delegate of that same sovereignty is meeting with remarkable success. We refer, of course to the Island of Porto Rico, where her new Governor, Horace A. Towner, appointed by the late President Harding several months ago in place of the truculent Reily, is setting up the precedent of the able colonial administrator and diplomat at once whose fundamental notions as to the ultimate solution of the colonial problem may or may not run counter to the propositions harbored in the bosoms of the native leaders, but who, nevertheless, manages not to offend their innermost feelings with rash statements and wild official behavior.

When a Governor of the Towner type reaches a point at the very beginning of his administrative insular career when he has caused the people he was sent to rule to become radiantly optimistic, and at the same time to look hopefully to greater strides on the road to home rule, it is, indeed, a notable feat worth chronicling as something unusual in the records of the American colonial government. Inasmuch as Mr. Towner took upon himself a statesmanlike job in going to Porto Rico to undo the mischief done by his predecessor, who actually threw—as the phrase goes—a monkey wrench in the wheels of the insular administration machinery, he should be given full credit for having succeeded where the other utterly failed. Of course, sporadic criticism has been leveled at Governor Towner by the disappointed friends of Mr. Reily, who would like to make it appear that all our people are absurdly unreasonable, but it fell on sterile ground.

In reviewing the initial work thus performed by Mr. Towner in the short time that he has been Governor of Porto Rico the salient fact must not be overlooked of the ready co-operation of the native leaders in the development of his policy, without which it would have come to naught, and that despite the great powers conferred upon our chief insular official by the insular constitution (the Jones law). In this connection great credit is also due to the Hon. Antonio R. Barceló, the President of the Porto Rican Senate and leader of the Unionist Party, who, it will be remembered, came repeatedly to Washington at the head of delegations to lay the grievances against Governor Reily before President Harding. Upon such occasions Señor Barceló was the target of the strictures of those who only see in the efforts of the native leaders for the removal of obstacles that, incidentally, may be placed in the path of Porto Rico's advancement, political schemes to "grab" the public moneys and the ousting of continental Americans from their jobs. Señor Barceló has now been fully vindicated in the knowledge that he has rendered to his island—and for that matter to the interests of the nation at large—a service of no little value in assuming an attitude which brought about the turning of a new way and harmonious relations between all concerned in the Reily imbroglio.

In conclusion, Porto Rico has entered into a new era under the Towner regime that bodes well for her immediate future, and all efforts will now be centred in bringing the Washington Congress around to the general view that it is high time for the islanders to enjoy full home rule. DOMINGO COLLAZO.

New York, Dec. 17, 1923.

INDIAN DANCES DEFENDED.

Objections Raised to Pueblo Ceremonies Are Declared False.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have read with amazement various editorials in local newspapers during the last few days in which certain Pueblo Indian dances are characterized as demoralizing practices and "are as indecent as it is possible for dances to be." All such statements are based on the grossest misinformation.

Of all the Pueblo tribes, the one that may be regarded as adhering most closely to its primitive customs and beliefs is the Zuñi, on the western edge of New Mexico, who number somewhat more than 1,800. If such a dreadful state of affairs exists among any of the Pueblos, then it stands to reason that one would expect to find in Zuñi the very essence of indecency, since the Rio Grande villages, at which the editorials evidently are aimed in particular, have been under the almost continuous and supposedly beneficent influence of Franciscan and other missionaries since the early years of the seventeenth century.

But does such a state of affairs as is claimed actually exist among any of the Pueblo Indians? The writer has been familiar with the ceremonies of these people for thirty years and has witnessed them, both indoors and out, scores and scores of times, but never has he seen the slightest suggestion of the indecency which the seemingly "inspired" editorials claim to exist. On the contrary, not only are the Zuñi ceremonies especially of a highly sacred and circumspect character, but the native priests who direct them are the most thoroughly religious men, white or red, I have ever known. If such a state of degradation as is claimed ever existed, the moral disintegration of the Pueblos would have occurred long ago; yet there are no people on earth who are more religious, or who live the religion on which the tribal solidarity subsists, than the Zuñis. A tribe of nearly 2,000 people, among whom no murder has been committed within the memory of man, can hardly be addicted to such immoral practices as so persistently has been asserted, evidently for consumption by the members of Secretary Work's Advisory Committee of One Hundred on Indian Affairs which met this week in Washington.

I feel that through long and intimate acquaintance with the Pueblos, and with the Zuñis in particular, I am somewhat competent to speak in their behalf.

F. W. HODGE,
Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation.

New York, Dec. 15, 1923.

Philippine Conditions.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The dispatches printed in THE NEW YORK TIMES last Sunday relative to political conditions in the Philippines contained some interesting material and dealt in solid facts. The present movement on the part of the Philippine "politicos" under the pretence of an independence movement is undoubtedly for the purpose of discrediting General Wood. The Philippines are not prepared today for independence and the Filipinos as a people never have been able to administer affairs in the islands in a responsible manner. The propaganda that is being broadcast from time to time by the Philippine Publicity Bureau at Washington is just plain "bunk." JAMES HOOVER.

New York, Dec. 18, 1923.

HEARS CITY'S PLEA FOR NEW POST OFFICE

New Says Inquiry Into Needs of the Mail Service Here Must Come First.

HULBERT FAVORS CHANGE

Postmaster General Resents Black's Statement That Clerks Work Under Prison Conditions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON Dec. 19.—Whether the existing Post Office and Federal Building in City Hall Park, New York City, will be torn down and the activities it now houses moved to one or two other sites will be deferred until the Post Office Department has made an exhaustive study of the entire problem of mail distribution in the metropolis.

When a special committee appeared today before Postmaster General New to urge the abandonment of the present 55-year-old structure he announced that he had signed an order for an investigation. While he did not say that the inquiry meant a postponement of the decision, it was obvious that it would. The study may consume six months or more.

Mr. New told the New York delegation, which included Murray Hulbert, Acting Mayor; United States Senators Wadsworth and Copeland, representatives of civic bodies and most of the House members from that State, that he thoroughly appreciated the viewpoint of New York in wishing to have the ancient building taken away, but that the paramount issue was not civic beautification but efficiency in the mail service. Whether removal of the Post Office to another location would accomplish this he appeared to doubt. Some time ago a special committee from the Post Office Department reported against doing away with the present building, and it is believed in Washington that Mr. New was impressed with this committee's recommendations.

"The plan to beautify the park is sentimental," said Mr. Hulbert to the Postmaster General. "We all favor that. But far more important is the improvement of the mail service, for it affects not alone the people of New York but of the nation.

"As it is, we have 1,400 postal employes working in a cellar and a subcellar. As to the courtrooms, when I hear a disregard expressed for the law I feel we are breeding this ourselves by conditions such as exist in the Federal Building. You can't expect litigants to have respect for law under those circumstances."

The Acting Mayor said he was not committed to moving the Post Office activity to one of the civic centre sites, but he did urge that it be taken away from where it now is, perhaps to a location west of Broadway and not north of Chambers Street. He urged speedy action by the Post Office Department on the ground that land values were increasing fast and sites were becoming unavailable.

"I understand," he said, "that the postal receipts of New York City for 1923 will be $60,000,000, or 20 per cent. of the total receipts of the entire country."

One of the House delegation, Loring M. Black Jr., of Brooklyn, brought a sharp retort from the Postmaster General when Mr. Black said that postal clerks were "underpaid, bent over desks and straining their eyes under conditions worse than those suffered by the men sent from the third floor to the Atlanta penitentiary."

"You are painting a picture that does not exist," sharply put in Mr. New. "I resent it on the part of the Post Office Department and of the clerks. You are not making any headway with me by that kind of speech. I resent the idea that men are working under the whip of a slave driver."

Senator Copeland, speaking from a physician's standpoint, said the present building was unsanitary and should be remodeled or removed. When he began to talk of the noise in Mail Street, Mr. New put in, "Ah, so New York objects to clatter and bang!" Senator Copeland countered, "Well, we want the clatter and bang done entirely by our local citizens and not by mail trucks."

"Unless something is done, we must establish a disinfecting and delousing system for the employes before they go home," said Representative LaGuardia.

"You are not before an unfriendly court," the Postmaster General said: "I realize your desire for a new Federal building on more than one ground. I sympathize with the greatest city in the world, New York, and I sympathize with your idea of a civic centre.

"But after all, I am here to represent the Post Office Department, and the one thing that I must consider is the efficiency of the postal service. It must be considered ahead of the esthetic standpoint. This matter came to the Post Office Department under the regime of Dr. Work. He sent a committee to New York to look into it. This committee saw postal authorities and the sites in question, but it reached the conclusion that the present site was as good as could be obtained."

"I very much favor the restoration of the tube service in order to relieve some of the congestion from mail trucks," he stated at one time in his conversation. "I am also trying to evolve a scheme whereby much of the mail destined for Northeastern points may be taken around New York City on a sort of belt system so the city post offices will not be forced to handle it. You now have only eleven railroad tracks in New York City and it is a terrible problem to handle the mail."

$25,000 FOR HARDING FUND.

E. H. Gary Makes Gift as President of Iron and Steel Institute.

After giving $25,000 to the Harding Memorial Fund as President of the American Iron and Steel Institute, Elbert H. Gary gave an additional dollar yesterday to Arthur Williams, General Chairman for New York City. When Mr. Gary handed the crisp new note Mr. Williams gave him the first certificate of associate membership issued in New York. To previous contributors temporary receipts have been issued to be replaced later by the engraved certificates.

The $25,000 gift of the American Iron and Steel Institute was given to Charles M. Schwab, Chairman of the Special Gift Committee. The quota for the city is $500,000 and Mr. Schwab and Mr. Williams are each raising half. Mr. Schwab announced yesterday the receipt of $11,400 additional contributions as follows:

John P. Grier, $1,000; Henry E. Butler, $500; Francis M. Weld, $1,000; Gates W. McGarrah, $500; Samuel McRoberts, $200; J. S. Bache & Co., $500; Frank J. Taylor, $100; H. L. Horton & Co., $500; Hornblower & Weeks, $500; F. M.

MAH-JONG BALLET BY SOCIETY GIRLS

Costumed to Represent the Figures of Chinese Game at Fete at the Plaza.

TWO LITTLE HUMAN DICE

John McCormack, Fred and Dorothy Stone and Cyril Maude Aid in Big Sisters Benefit.

The Mah-Jong fete at the Plaza last night brought out a large representation of society. It was given for the benefit of the Big Sisters' organizations, the Catholic, Protestant and Jewish, and there was a heavy advance sale of tickets. The supper tables sold for $100.

The program of entertainment did not commence until midnight, when John McCormack sang. Then Fred Stone and his daughter, Dorothy Stone, appeared. Incidentally there was a drawing by Cyril Maude for an automobile, a $2,400 brooch, and a solid gold dressing set.

The amateur performance started at 1 o'clock with one of the most origiani spectacles of the season, the human game of Mah-Jong, played by thirty beautiful young society women, costumed to represent the different figures of the Chinese game. This unusual ballet was staged by Ned Wayburn, and Miss Alice O'Neill designed the costumes.

The characters marched down broad steps from the stage, made to represent a Chinese pagoda, after the doors had been thrown open by two fascinating little human dice, Miss Peggy Stout and Miss Dorothy Sharp. Colored lights were thrown on the dancers.

Flowers of the Game.

The flowers of the game were represented by Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, as a lotos blossom; Miss Burks Yuille, as iris; Miss Rosalie Dodge, chrysanthemum, and Miss Catherine Dews, cherry blossom. Miss Vanderbilt gave an interpretative dance of much charm.

The seasons were represented by Miss Rhoda Cameron as Spring, Mrs. Biddle Duke as Winter, Mrs. Bolling Lee as Summer, and Mrs. Richard Hall as Autumn. The characters were the Misses Barbara Brokaw, Nina Chatillon and Mrs. Rodney W. Williams.

Mrs. Edwin M. Post Jr., Mrs. Martin E. Saportas and Miss Nancy Yuille were the moons. The birds were Mrs. Huntington Erhart, Miss Felicia Fiske and Miss Borg. Mrs. Allen G. Wellman, Mrs. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen and Miss Shiela Byrne appeared as the white dragons, Mrs. Wellman giving a solo dance.

The red dragons were the Misses Marguerite Doubleday, Margaret Flint and Mildred Smith, and the green dragons were Mrs. Henry Potter Russell and the Misses Virginia Ryan and Olivia Johnston. Appearing as the four winds were Miss Adele S. Kelley, as the north wind, Mrs. E. Roland N. Harriman, east wind, Miss Beatrice Pratt, south wind, and Miss Phyllis Benkard, west wind.

The foyer of the Plaza ballroom was decorated with orange trees to represent an orange grove.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt 2d acted as treasurer of the fete, and looked after all the details personally. Mrs. Willard Parker Jr. is Chairman of the Protestant branch of the Big Sisters; Mrs. Sidney C. Borg is Chairman of the Jewish Big Sisters, and Lady Armstrong, Chairman of the Catholic organization.

Many Dinners Precede Fete.

Many dinners were given preceding the fete, and the scene in the ballroom was a brilliant one. Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, Mrs. A. J. Drexel Biddle Jr., Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. James A. Burden, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. E. H. Harriman, Mrs. William Goadby Loew, Mrs. E. R. Stettinius, Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt, Mrs. W. Seward Webb, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. Payne Whitney and Mrs. Henry White were among the patronesses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer, who are passing the Winter at the Plaza, gave the first of their dinners in their apartment last night and played Mah Jong afterward, until midnight, when they took their guests to a Mah Jong fete. Many of their guests were members of the Newport Mah Jong Club, and three of the sets used by them are said to be the most beautiful in America. They are owned by Mrs. Tailer, Mrs. A. Hamilton Rice and Mrs. Henry Walters. They are of solid ivory. There is great rivalry at Newport as to who may have the most beautiful set.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Flint gave a dinner at the Ritz-Carlton last evening for their daughter, Miss Margaret O. Flint, and several young girls who later in the evening took part in the Big Sisters Ball at the Plaza.

There were forty guests, among whom were Countess Alexandrine Beroldingen, Donna Marie Bourbon Delmonte and the Misses Margaret D. Kahn, Dorothy Sharp, Laura Harding, Muriel Vanderbilt, Nancy Yuille, Marguerite Doubleday, Eleanor Pettinos, Betty Hammill, Mathilde Coster, Mary D. Strange, Betty Cogswell, Burks Yuille, Sophie Dier, Margaret Trimble, also Count Huitfeldt, Prince Lubomirski, Theodore H. Potter, Louis F. Bertschmann, Bailey Elebash, Ludlow Fowler and Walter White.

LOIS BOOTH DENIES TROTH.

Ottawa Girl Says She Is Not to Wed Prince Eric of Denmark.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—Miss Lois Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Booth, whose engagement to Prince Eric of Denmark has been reported by continental newspapers for some months, denied today that she was engaged to the Prince. She said that if she was engaged she would be pleased to tell her friends.

Prince Eric, who is 30 years old, has a ranch near Calgary and has spent much of his time in Canada. He is a nephew of Dowager Queen Alexandra of Great Britain and a cousin of King George V. He first met Miss Booth at Banff, when he visited in Ottawa two years ago with his cousin, Prince Rene de Bourbon, a brother of the ex-Empress Zita of Austria.

Nashley-Frisch.

Miss Helen Frisch, daughter of Frederick Frisch of the Hotel Alamac, was married to Alvin Nashley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nashley of 46 Fort Washington Avenue, in the Japanese Room of the Hotel Alamac, by the Rev. Dr. Simon R. Cohen, last evening. After a trip South Mr. and Mrs. Nashley will make their home in Brooklyn.

Corinne Welsh, Singer, to Wed.

Miss Corinne Welsh, a church and concert singer who has toured as a soloist with the Walter Damrosch Orchestra, and was also for some years one of the quartet singing in the St. Nicholas Collegiate Church of this city, and Charles Walter Damont, a New York business man, are to be married Saturday at the West End Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Anthony H. Evans.

Debutantes at Russian Bazaar.

Yesterday was debutantes day at the Russian Christmas Bazaar being held at the Hecksher Building, Fifth Avenue and Fifty-seventh Street, this week. The girls were busy all day selling the products of destitute Russian artists of this city. The proceeds of the bazaar are to be used to establish a permanent exchange for Russian art work. The girls assisting included the Misses Ada Hendon, Betty Beardsley, Allita Post, Mary Arden Schroeder, Edna Rathbone and Mrs. Edwin Herzog Jr.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whittingham Battle of 875 Park Avenue are leaving on Jan. 12 for California and will remain there for two and a half months.

Mrs. Minturn Pinchot of 9 East Eighty-first Street will entertain with music on Sunday evening, Jan. 13.

Mrs. William Lowe Rice of 550 Park Avenue is giving a luncheon today for twelve guests in honor of Mme. da Gama, wife of the Brazilian Ambassador to the Court of St. James's.

Mrs. Henry Phipps will not receive at her home, 1,063 Fifth Avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 25, nor on Tuesday Jan. 1.

Mrs. Julius Lay is convalescing from her recent severe illness at her residence, 14 East Sixtieth Street.

Mrs. Charles S. Whitman entertained at Sherry's yesterday, and among her guests were Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mrs. William May Wright and Mrs. Jerome N. Bonaparte. Last night Mrs. Rutherfurd Stuyvesant entertained a number of guests at dinner.

The performance of "Sun Up" at the Princess this evening and tomorrow night will be for the benefit of the Berry School of Mount Berry, Ga. Mrs. John Henry Hammond of 9 East Ninety-first Street is receiving applications for tickets at $5 each.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Jackson, who have been making their home at the Ambassador, are occupying their new apartment at 1,148 Fifth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Vogel have come from Tuxedo Park and will be at the Lorraine for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Brokaw will entertain at dinner at Pierre's this evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. George W. Childs Drexel of Philadelphia are at the St. Regis. Mr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb Jr. of Manhasset, L. I., are also at the hotel.

Miss Betty Kress, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Kress of 485 Park Avenue, will give a dinner this evening, taking her guests later to the benefit performance of "Stepping Stones," and later to the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Irving McKesson are giving for their daughter, Miss Mary McKesson.

The Hon. and Mrs. Charles Winn, who will spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Payne Whitney on Long Island, will leave shortly for Palm Beach for the Winter.

Mrs. Newbold LeRoy Edgar, who recently returned from abroad, is ill at her residence, 125 East Fortieth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Claflin left the Ritz-Carlton yesterday for Palm Beach.

LADY CARNARVON WEDS A COLONEL

Dowager Countess Weds Lieut. Col. Ian Dennistoun in London Register Office.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—The wedding of Almina, dowager Countess of Carnarvon, and Colonel Ian Dennistoun, late of the Grenadier Guards, took place at 9:30 o'clock this morning at St. George's register office, Westminster.

The bride and bridegroom, accompanied by Lady Evelyn Beauchamp, daughter of the bride, drove up in a taxicab, the bride wearing a black velvet coat, trimmed at the hem and on the sleeves with fur, and a large black hat, trimmed with black lace.

A few friends were at the register office to witness the ceremony and the witnesses were Lady Evelyn, A. M. Frere and G. B. Frere.

Colonel Dennistoun, 44 years old, was educated at Eton and adopted the army as a career. Entering the service in 1900, he served in the South African War, where he won distinction, was made a captain in 1910 and a major in 1915 during the European war.

When Lord Carnarvon, discoverer of the tomb of Tut-ankh-Amen, was suddenly stricken in Egypt last March from an insect bite, Lady Carnarvon started in an airplane to hasten to his bedside, but was taken ill during the flight and proceeded by boat from a Mediterranean port. She reached Cairo in time to assist in nursing the patient, who finally died on March 29 from a complication of diseases following the initial attack.

Lady Carnarvon's maiden name was Almina Wombwell, daughter of Frederick C. Wombwell. She was wealthy in her own right when she married the Earl in 1895. Her career in society has been a brilliant one, and she had the reputation of being one of London's best dressed women. She was sometimes called "the London society Pompadour" or "La Petite Marquise." Her only son, the present Earl of Carnarvon, married Miss Catherine Wendell of New York in 1922, nearly a year before his father's death, when he succeeded to the title.

MISS WALLACE ENGAGED.

Late Banker's Daughter to Wed Donald M. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Wallace of 290 Park Avenue have announced the engagement of their sister, Miss Josephine Wallace, to Donald Munson Gregory of Berkley, Cal. Miss Wallace is the daughter of the late James N. Wallace, former Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Central Union Trust Company. She is a graduate of Wellesley, class of '23.

Mr. Gregory, who served overseas during the war, is a graduate of the Harvard Law School and is now practising in the firm of his father, Warner Gregory of Berkley, Cal. The marriage is to take place in the Spring.

Wood—Potter.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Spencer Shephard Wood of Washington, D. C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaretta Wood, to John Howard Nott Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nott Potter of this city. Miss Wood is a graduate of The Holton-Arms School in Washington. She made her début in Boston several Winters ago and is a member of the Junior League. Mr. Potter was a member of the class of '19 at Union College and served during the war as a Lieutenant in the artillery. The wedding will take place in the Spring.

Lindsley—Hendee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindsley of 115 Washington Street, East Orange, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elinor Lindsley to Robert William Hendee of Tulsa, Okla., formerly of East Orange. Miss Lindsley attended Miss Beard's School and Bradford Academy. Mr. Hendee is a graduate of Cornell, class of '17.

Keck—Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin Keck of Easthampton, L. I., and Coronado Beach, Cal., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Anne Keck, to George D. Scott, son of Mrs. Henry C. Scott of St. Louis, Mo. Miss Keck is a sister of Mrs. W. T. Helmuth of 152 East Twenty-second Street. Mr. Scott is a graduate of Yale, and during the war he served with the naval aviation. No date has been set for the wedding.

Rauchfuss—Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rauchfuss of Brooklyn have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Madeleine Rauchfuss, to Emil E. Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Meyer of New Haven, Conn. Miss Rauchfuss is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hoyt of this city and Norwalk, Conn. Mr. Meyer is an architect, associated with the Slade Foundation Homes Company, Forest Hills Gardens, L. I. The wedding will take place in January.

Dinner for Harlan F. Stone.

Harlan F. Stone, who is retiring after twelve years' service as the Dean of the Law School of Columbia University, was the guest of honor at a testimonial dinner last night by the Alumni Association of the Law School, at the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria. The speakers were Nicholas Murray Butler, Supreme Court Justice Edward R. Finch and John W. Davis, [illegible] Ambassador to Great Britain.

DR. JOHN H. JOWETT, NOTED PASTOR, DIES

Former Minister of Fifth Avenue Church Succumbs at His Home in England.

MEMORIAL SERVICE HERE

He Returned to London at Request of Lloyd George to Take Part In Reconstruction After War.

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LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Rev. Dr. John Henry Jowett died today at Gables Belmont, near Croydon, to which he retired a few months ago when his declining health forced him to resign the pastorship of Westminster Chapel.

Returning from New York partly, it is said, through a letter from Lloyd George urging him to come back to share in the big opportunities of reconstruction days, he was forced to give up work after four years of strenuous labor.

He came out of retirement, however, to take a conspicuous part in the conference at Copenhagen of the World's Alliance for Promoting International Friendship Through Churches. That, it is believed, led to his final breakdown and since then he had simply been moving from place to place in his fight against apaemia which has now been defeated.

The news of the death of the Rev. Dr. John Henry Jowett in London early yesterday morning was received in this city with profound sorrow not only by the Presbyterian constituency but by men and women of every faith. He was considered in America one of the greatest, if not the greatest, living preacher. He was pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, at Fifty-fifth Street, from 1911 to 1918.

A cable from London arrived at 8 o'clock yesterday morning at the Fifth Avenue Church. It was addressed to former State Senator George B. Agnew, Clerk of the session. It was unsigned, but it is presumed the message came from Mrs. Jowett. The message read: "Dr. Jowett passed quietly away this morning."

The news was not entirely unexpected, as it has been known here for the last few months that Dr. Jowett was getting weaker and weaker. A letter from Mrs. Jowett some weeks ago said that he was then no longer able to preach.

As soon as Mr. Agnew received the news he called a meeting of the elders and a cable was sent to London ordering a floral tribute for the funeral in the name of the session, and resolutions of sympathy and appreciation of the seven years of Dr. Jowett's ministry here were passed.

The Rev. Dr. John Kelman, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Church, who succeeded Dr. Jowett, said that there would be a memorial service for Dr. Jowett a week from next Sunday, when he would deliver a eulogy of the late pastor. Dr. Kelman expressed "great admiration and friendship" for Mr. Jowett. His word in the death of Dr. Jowett "was a deep loss to the Christian Church in all parts of the world."

A cablegram sent by Mr. Agnew last night to Mrs. Jowett in the name of the Fifth Avenue Church read as follows:

"Deeply grieved by Dr. Jowett's death. The Christian people of America will long cherish the memory of his inspirational ministry here. I am directed to transmit to you and family the sincere and affectionate sympathy of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church.

"GEORGE B. AGNEW, Clerk."

Bishop Manning's Tribute.

Bishop William T. Manning paid this tribute to Dr. Jowett:

"Dr. Jowett was a true man of God and a preacher of unusual power. Wherever he lived this spiritual power was felt. His influence in New York will long be gratefully remembered."

The Rev. Dr. Harlan G. Mendenhall, Stated Clerk of the Presbytery of New York, last evening sent this cablegram to Mrs. Jowett:

"New York Presbytery extends its deepest sympathy, as it cherishes the memory of your husband's fellowship."

No clergyman since the days of Henry Ward Beecher ever had greater crowds come to hear him preach Sunday after Sunday and Lenten day in this city. Often, especially toward the close of his ministry here, it was no unusual thing for as many people to be turned away from the church as were admitted, and the church seats comfortably 2,000 persons.

With Dr. Jowett it was not that he was in the least sensational, it was not that he preached any Modernism; it was rather the contrary. He preached an old-fashioned, expository sermon, and it has frequently been said of him that when he finished with a text of Scripture it was like a dog with a bone. Dr. Jowett seldom touched on any of the topics of the day. His sermons were filled with spiritual food. And he drove home his points so earnestly that often one could hear a pin drop as he closed his message.

From the first sermon to the last that Dr. Jowett preached at the local church it was necessary to admit the members of the church by the side door and often a sign was posted in front, "Church Full."

Returns to Mother Country.

Dr. Jowett had repeated calls back to his native land, all of which he refused until the war was at its height. Then came the call to the Westminster Congregational Chapel, London, to succeed the Rev. Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, now a pastor in Australia. Mr. Lloyd George was among the great men of England who cabled him telling him it was his duty to return.

The call of the mother country was too strong for him. He felt he could have a real part in the reconstruction after the war. His heart was heavy over the fact that scarcely a home in Great Britain but had one member who had made the supreme sacrifice. He wanted to be back among his own countrymen to say the word of comfort to the broken-hearted parents. He wanted to have an English citadel from which to preach his message of peace and hope.

To the deep regret of the Fifth Avenue congregation he accepted the London call. But being deeply prevailed upon he remained here nearly a year longer. He had not taken out any naturalization papers here and although he was a great admirer of America and her institutions, he was never really divorced from his "beloved England."

Dr. Jowett had hardly more than arrived here to take up the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Church when he returned to his native land to be present at the coronation of the King, he being one of only two Nonconformist clergymen who were invited to the ceremonies.

Dr. Jowett left a widow and an adopted daughter, who is married and lives not far from the Jowett home. While here Dr. Jowett was a member of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions and of the Church Extension Committee of the Presbytery of New York. New York University conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity.

John Henry Jowett's Career.

John Henry Jowett was born fifty-nine years ago in England. He was the son of Josiah and Hannah Jowett. He married Edna Frida Winpenny of Barnard Castle, England. His early education he received in Hipperholme Grammar School. His collegiate education was in Edinburgh University and Oxford University, Edinburgh in 1910 conferred on him the degree of D. D.

The first pastorate of Dr. Jowett was at St. James's Congregational Church, New Castle-on-Tyne. Here he ministered from 1889 to 1895. His next parish was the Union Lane Congregational Church, Birmingham, England. He served this church sixteen years. It was while here that the New York Church discovered him. It called him four times, and the call being declined, it sent a committee of three officers to Birmingham to "wait" until he did accept. They were finally successful in their mission.

Dr. Jowett was the author of many religious books. Among these were: "Apostolic Optimism," "From Strength to Strength," "Meditations for Quiet Moments," "Brooks by the Traveler's Way," "Thirsting for the Springs," "The Passion for Souls," "Silver Linings," "The Transfigured Church," "The Preacher: His Life and Work," "Things That Matter Most," "Daily Meditations," "The Eagle Life," and "The Friend at the Door."

Obituary Notes.

FRED W. HOPKINS, night foreman of the composing room of The Evening Telegram, died yesterday at St. Luke's Hospital following a series of operations. He was fifty years old. Mr. Hopkins served on The New York Herald under the late James Gordon Bennett. He was an active member of "Big Six" Typographical Union.

AMOS EDWARD WOODRUFF, descendant of Revolutionary stock in Rahway, N. J., whose family entertained the Marquis de Lafayette, died in Bronxville at the home of his son at the age of 76 yesterday. He was a member of the New York Bar, but retired from practice a few years ago.

Born.

FEINBERG—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Feinberg, 1,464 Grand Concourse, announce the birth of a son, Dec. 19.

SCHIFF—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schiff of 458 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, announce the birth of a daughter, Elsie Juan, Dec. 15.

Engaged.

DALZIEL—McCRAY—Mr. Wilson F. McCray of Washington, D. C., is announcing the engagement of his sister, Grace Madeline, to Mr. Charles Edgar Dalziel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Dalziel of Beebe, Quebec.

SCOTT—BOCK—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin Keck of East Hampton, L. I., and Coronado Beach, Cal., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Anne, to Mr. George D. Scott, son of Mrs. Henry C. Scott of St. Louis, Mo.

Died.

ALBERTSON—John Augustus, at Westbury, N. Y., on Twelfth month, 17th, 1923. Funeral services will be held at his late home on Fifth day, 20th, at 2 o'clock. Trains leave Pennsylvania Railroad station at 9:30 A. M. will be met. Interment at convenience of family.

ALLEN—John, Brethren of Park Lodge No. 516, F. and A. M., are summoned to attend Masonic funeral services for Brother John Allen on Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 2 P. M., at Eickelberg's Funeral Parlor, 934 8th Av.

LESLIE E. CLEMENS, Master.
BERNARD LEIDNER, Secretary.

ANDERSON—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, at his residence, 200 Columbia Heights, Frank Anderson, age 55 years, son of the late William A. and Rebecca Anderson. Funeral services at the Lefferts Place Chapel, 66 Lefferts Place, near Grand Av., Brooklyn, Saturday, Dec. 22, at 2 P. M.

AUSTIN—Suddenly, on Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923, William P. Austin, in his 75th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 9,922 Fishkill St., Hollis, L. I., on Friday, Dec. 21, 1923, at 2:30 P. M. Train leaves Penn Station 1:45 P. M.

BAER—Mrs. Rosalie, on Dec. 19, in her 83d year, at the Hotel Theresa. Funeral at convenience of the family. Memphis (Tenn.) and Hot Springs (Miss.) papers please copy.

BARTH—August, in his 76th year. Funeral services at William F. Chester's Chapel, 2,099 Bryant Avenue (telephone Intervale 1868), Thursday, 2:30 P. M. Interment Lutheran Cemetery.

BURST—On Dec. 16, 1923, in Orange, N. J., Sarah Burst, widow of John Burst, in her 89th year. Services Thursday morning, 11 o'clock, at 160 Clinton Av., Newark.

CARROLL—Catherine Murphy Carroll of Colorado Springs, Col., Dec. 13, 1923, beloved wife of the late William F. Carroll Ford, mother of Kathleen G., William F., Howard R., Clement G., Nathalie and the late Anna Martha Carroll. Burial at Mount Hope, Dec. 18, 1923.

CLARK—At Newark, N. J., Dec. 18, 1923, Emmeline B. Clark, in her 78th year. Services private, at the home of her niece, 15 Porter Av. Interment Athens Rural Cemetery, Athens, N. Y.

COLLINS—At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 18, 1923, Agnes, daughter of the late Lewis and Grace W. Collins. Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. R. D. Hutchinson Jr., 305 Midland Av., Montclair, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 20, at 3 o'clock.

CROOKER—Nellie Louise, eldest daughter of the late William H. and Louise C. Crooker. Services at Campbell's Funeral Church, 8 P. M. Thursday, Dec. 20. Interment at convenience of family.

DANNREUTHER—Gustav, Dec. 19, 1923, of pneumonia, beloved husband of Nellie M. Taylor, father of Dr. Walter T. Martin Taylor and Gustave Dannreuther Jr. Funeral private. Please omit flowers. Buffalo and Poughkeepsie (N. Y.) and Pittsfield (Mass.) papers please copy.

FAIRCHILD—Suddenly, Henrietta Corbett Fairchild, dearly beloved wife of William V. Fairchild and darling mother of Dr. Beatrice C. Fairchild. Services Friday, 5:30 P. M., at her late residence, 894 Sterling Place, Brooklyn. Funeral private.

FLYNN—James L., beloved husband of Martha A. Gleason and father of Mrs. Chris Cunningham Jr., Homer, Francis and Martha Flynn, at his residence, 1,004 Putnam Av., Brooklyn, Dec. 19. Funeral from Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Putnam and Ralph Avs., Saturday, at 10 A. M. Kindly omit flowers. Please omit flowers. Masses appreciated. Interment St. John's Cemetery.

FRANKEL—Charles, on Dec. 18, in his 61st year, dearly beloved husband of Jennie (nee Lissberger), beloved father of Bessie Hochberger and Ruth, beloved brother of Mrs. M. S. Adler, Mrs. B. Gumprecht, Ferd and the late Harry and James Frankel. Funeral services at his late residence, 495 West End Av., Thursday, Dec. 20, at 1:30 P. M.

FRIEDMAN—On Dec. 18, in her 85th year. Funeral from the chapel of Saul A. Rothschild, 159 West 120th St., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 10 A. M.

FRIEDMAN—Bertha (nee Gordon), aged 45, beloved wife of Julius and devoted mother of Stella, Aaron, Charlotte, Beatrice, Selma and Ruth. Funeral Friday at 10 A. M., from her residence, 755 Jennings St., Bronx. Mount Zion Cemetery.

FROTHINGHAM—At Brookline, Mass., on Dec. 18, 1923, in her 84th year, Wilhelmine Edith Frothingham, widow of the late James Harding Frothingham of Brooklyn, N. Y. Interment at Dublin, N. H.

GANTSCHER—Abraham, Dec. 19, 1923, beloved husband of Sarah, devoted father of Pauline Kosak, Miriam and Rosetta. Funeral services Friday, Dec. 21, 1923, at 10 A. M. at Meyers's Funeral Chapel, 239 Lenox Av., New York City.

GREENEBAUM—On Dec. 19, aged 56 years, Assor, husband of the late Bertha and devoted father of Charles, Max, Julius, Simon, Milton, Belle Zenn, Jennie Jacobs and Sadie Zenn. Funeral from his late residence, 961 East 16th St., Flatbush, on Friday, Dec. 21, at 10 A. M.

GREENEBAUM—The Cares Union Officers and members are requested to attend the funeral of our brother, Assor Greenebaum, charter member, and dear father of our brothers, Charles, Simon and Milton. Funeral from his late residence, 961 East 16th St., Flatbush, on Friday, Dec. 21, at 10 A. M.

SAMUEL H. ABRAHAM, President.
HENRY H. RIEDERS, Secretary.

HALL—On Dec. 17, 1923, Mary Arthur, beloved husband of Amy Mayhew, aged 76 years. Services at his late residence, 660 72d St., Brooklyn, Thursday, Dec. 20, 7:30 P. M. Interment Forest Hill Cemetery, Boston (Mass.). Boston papers please copy.

HARDY—On Dec. 18, Helen Staley, beloved wife of the late Charles Francis Hardy, at her residence, 170 West 78th St., N. Y. C. Funeral on Friday at 11 A. M. Services at St. Agnes's Chapel, 92d St., west of Columbus Av., at 11:30 A. M. Boston and Philadelphia papers please copy.

HEBBERD—Suddenly, on Dec. 18, 1923, Isabella Lennox, widow of Gilbert C. and beloved mother of Robert C., Gilbert C. and Frank L. Hebberd. Funeral services at her late residence, 228 84th St., Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, on Friday, Dec. 21, at 3 P. M.

HENDRICKS—Louis (actor), on Dec. 18, husband of Geraldine De Rohan and brother of Ben Hendricks (actor). Funeral from St. Malachy's Church, 49th St., west of Broadway, Thursday, Dec. 20, at 11 A. M.

HERRMANN—Marguerite, daughter of Eugene G. and Marie Herrmann. Funeral from 1,033 Valentine Av., Bronx, on Saturday at 8:30 A. M., thence to Our Lady of Mercy Church.

HOPKINS—At St. Luke's Hospital, Dec. 19, Fred W., night foreman of The Telegram, beloved husband of Elizabeth Hopkins. Service at the Universal Chapel, 897 Lexington Av., corner 53d St., Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment Portland, Me.

KEARSING—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Grace Wrenn, wife of Edwin M. Kearsing, at Auburn, N. Y. Funeral services at Greenwood Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 1:30 P. M. Entrance at 20th St.

Died.

KELLEY—On Dec. 19, Maria Lynam, beloved wife of George Kelley, at her residence, 271 Hamilton Place, Hackensack, N. J. Mass of requiem at Holy Trinity Church, Hackensack, Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

KELLY—On Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923, Susan L., beloved wife of James A. Kelly and daughter of the late Charles and Sophia Leicht. Funeral services in W. J. Matthew's funeral parlor, 253 Lenox Av., between 121st and 122d Sts., Thursday morning, Dec. 20, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

KENNEDY—Talbot Camp 18188, Modern Woodmen of America, announce with profound regret the death of Neighbor Chester J. Kennedy. Funeral services from his late residence, 913 East 219th St., Thursday, Dec. 20, 8 P. M. Officers and Neighbors respectfully requested to attend. FRANK F. SIMON, Clerk.

KLEMM—Otho H., on Dec. 18. Services Campbell Funeral Church, Broadway at 66th St., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 1 P. M. 20 at 7:30 o'clock.

KORNER—Dr. Christopher F., son of the late Christopher and Bethe Korner, after a short illness, Dec. 19, 1923. Funeral services at his late residence, 23 West 64th St., Saturday, Dec. 22, 1 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

LOEB—Julia, beloved mother of Bessie, Alvin, Leroy, Sidney and Stanley, suddenly, at 600 West 115th St.

LYMAN—On Tuesday, Dec. 18, Alice Smith, beloved wife of James Walter Lyman, M. D. Funeral service at her late residence, 483 West 145th St., on Thursday evening, Dec. 20, at 8:30 o'clock.

LYNCH—Thomas F., on Dec. 18, sergeant N. Y. P. D., beloved husband of Mary A. (nee McGovern), and father of Thomas F. Jr. and Mae E. Lynch. Funeral from his late residence, 50 West 124th St., Friday, Dec. 21. Requiem mass, All Saints' Church, 129th St. and Madison Av., 10 A. M. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Flushing, N. Y.

McALLISTER—Suddenly, Dec. 18, Captain William, beloved husband of Mary McAllister (nee Hayes), at his residence, 870 St. Mark's Av., Brooklyn. Solemn requiem mass, 11 A. M., Friday, Dec. 21, in St. Gregory's R. C. Church, St. John's Place and Brooklyn Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

McCORMACK—Mrs. Katherine E., wife of the late Bernard McCormack, mother of Kathryn and John and sister of Mary and Walter B. Fogerty, Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, at 46 West 94th St., New York City. Requiem mass at the Church of the Holy Name, Saturday, Dec. 22, at 10:30 A. M.

McLAIN—Weston F., Dec. 17. Services Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2 P. M., at home of his sister, 17,410 Hillside Av., Richmond Hill, L. I., ten minutes' walk from New Gardens station or Broadway elevated, Jamaica train to 125d St. Funeral at convenience of family.

MAAS—On Dec. 19, Gustavus, beloved husband of Carrie H. Maas. Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of Salem Field Cemetery, Friday morning, Dec. 21, at 11 o'clock.

O'CONNOR—On Wednesday, Dec. 19, Minnie F., sister of Julia L. (Lou) and Katarite I., at her home, 970 Pacific St., Brooklyn. Solemn requiem mass at St. Augustine's Church, 6th Av. and Sterling Place, on Friday, Dec. 21, at 9:30 A. M. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. Automobile cortege.

OSMUN—Suddenly, at Madison, N. J., Dec. 18, 1923, Alvah W., husband of Emma D. Osmun. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 61 Madison Ave., Madison, N. J., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2:30 P. M., on arrival of Lackawanna Railroad train leaving Hoboken at 1:60 P. M. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, N. J.

OSWALD—Henry, on Dec. 19. Services Stephen Merritt's Chapel, 123 6th Av., near 21st St., Saturday, 10 o'clock.

OWEN—On Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, at her residence, 218 St. John's Place, Brooklyn, Mary Hennion, widow of Henry Clay Owen, in her 71th year. Notice of funeral later.

PAUL—Annie (nee Smith), beloved mother of George, James and Fred and sister of Olivia Craw. Funeral services at her late residence, 382 East 149th St., Monday, Dec. 20, at 8 P. M. Mary Van Arsdale Council No. 55, D. C. R., Patriotic Order of American Company 22, Melrose Circle No. 258, C. D. S. of A. and friends cordially invited.

PLATT—Suddenly, Monday evening, Dec. 17, 1923, Frederick E. Platt of 195 Hillside Av., Glen Ridge, N. J. Funeral services will be held at the Funeral Home of Arthur K. Brown, 36 Park St., Montclair, N. J., Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

POGGENBURG—Entered into rest Dec. 19, 1923, Henry F. W. Poggenburg, dearly beloved father of Herbert F. W. and brother of Charlotte Graff. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, Thursday, at 2 o'clock. Newark (N. J.) and Los Angeles (Cal.) papers please copy.

QUINN—John J. Campbell Funeral Church, Broadway at 66th St., Thursday, 2 P. M.

RHOADES—Nettie E., at Ramsey, N. J., Wednesday, Dec. 19. Funeral private. No flowers.

ROTHMANN—Amelia, widow of the late Henry Rothmann, in her 67th year. Funeral service at her late residence, 600 East 167th St., Friday, Dec. 21, at 3 P. M. Interment private.

RUMP—On Dec. 16, 1923, Emil A. C. H., beloved husband of Elisabeth Rump, aged 60 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 254 Stanford Av., Flushing, L. I., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2 P. M. Train leaves Pennsylvania Station for Flushing (Main St.) at 1:21 P. M.

RYAN—On Dec. 18, 1923, Michael J., beloved husband of Mary E. Ashley. Funeral services at his late residence, Cedarhurst Park, Cedarhurst, L. I., Friday, Dec. 21, 1923, at 11 A. M. Requiem mass at St. Joachim's Church, Cedarhurst, L. I., 11:30 A. M.

SCHEIDIG—On Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923, John C., husband of the late Martha Scheidig, in his 72d year. Funeral from residence 179 Winthrop St., Brooklyn, Thursday, 8 P. M.

SUSSELES—Rebecca, on Dec. 17, beloved wife of Leon Susseles and mother of Abraham Susseles. Funeral services at her late residence, 1,003 40th St., Brooklyn, on Thursday, 10 A. M.

SULTAN—Max, beloved husband of Lottie Sultan (nee Ressler) and dear father of Morris, Irving and Bertram. Funeral service 2 P. M. today, at 1,064 Findlay Av. Interment Washington Cemetery.

SULTAN—Max. Members of the Hungarian Society of New York are requested to attend the funeral of their deceased brother today (Thursday) at 1 P. M. from his late residence, 1,064 Findlay Av., Bronx. Interment Washington Cemetery.

ARCHIBALD W. McEWAN, Secy.

WARE—Veterans of the Seventh Regiment, N. G. N. Y.: With sincere regret announcement is made of the death on Dec. 18 of William R. Ware (Sixth Company).

WILLARD C. FISK, President.

WASCH—Abraham, on Dec. 19, in his 73d year, son of the late Mark Wasch, brother of the late Louis and Aaron Wasch and of Mrs. Elizabeth Greenhall and David L. Wasch. Funeral services at Meyers's Funeral Chapel, 226 Lenox Av., this day, Dec. 20, at 2 P. M.

WASCH—Abraham. New York Isaiah Lodge No. 1, I. O. B. B., regrets to announce the death of Brother Abraham Wasch of the I. O. B. B. Home, Yonkers, on Dec. 19, 1923. Members are requested to attend the funeral at Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 226 Lenox Av., New York, Dec. 20, 1923, at 2 P. M.

BENJAMIN G. FEINBERG, President.
SETH V. ELTING, Secretary.

WASCH—Members of Henry Clay Lodge, No. 19, I. O. F. S. of I., are requested to attend the funeral

LOST AND FOUND

Advertisements for tomorrow received until midnight. Bryant 1000.

LOST.

BAG, brown velvet, containing gold watch, purse; taxi, Monday afternoon; reward. N. La McCready, 500 Madison Av.

BEADED BAG—Colored, important keys, money, between 63d and Park Av. and 57th and 5th Av. Please return Miss O'Sullivan, 994 Park Av. Rhinelander 1990.

BRIEF CASE lost, containing legal papers; no value except to owner; marked Dallas S. Townsend. Finder kindly return, 59 Wall St.; reward.

HANDBAG—Black satin; money, glasses, Tuesday, 73d, near Madison Av., 72d, Central Park. Rhinelander 4730.

PARCEL (manuscript), bearing name, at Wurlitzer's Auditorium, Saturday afternoon; reward. Return Mr. Parkins, Wurlitzer Building, 42d St.

PURSE—In Pennant taxicab, Dec. 14, lady's black silk purse, containing money, trinkets; reward, no questions asked. W. E. Beeban, 864 West 57th.

PURSE, black, between West 8th St. and 107 Waverley Place, Wednesday, about 7:30 P. M.; reward. 107 Waverley Place.

PURSE, with about $49.50, 2 keys, between Aeolian Hall building and Stern's store, Dec. 18. Riverside 5243.

TRAVELING BAG, Saturday evening, taxi, between Marguery Restaurant and Trocadero; $50. W. F. Usher, Room 436, Singer Building. Cortlandt 4294.

TYPEWRITER—Corona, left on 5th Av. bus on Dec. 18; reward. Finder please communicate with Ann Livingston, 225 5th Av.

VELVET BAG, 3d Av. and 125th St.; pocketbook, checkholder, money, keys; reward. Return 203 East 126th.

NOTICE is hereby given that preferred stock certificate of the Crucible Steel Company of America, dated Oct. 26, 1903, No. F-10554, for thirty shares, issued in the name of R. F. Shannon, has been lost.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate and all persons are warned against negotiating said lost certificate. George Well, executor of the estate of Robert F. Shannon, dec'd. 522 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Jewelry.

BRACELET—Platinum, set with diamonds, Waldorf-Astoria Hotel corridor; $200 reward. Return Lost Article Dept., Waldorf-Astoria, 34th and 5th Av.

EARRING, violin shaped, gold, topas and turquoise, 20th to 57th St., 5th Av., Wednesday afternoon; sentimental value; reward. Phone Madison Square 3900.

EARRING, antique, gold; reward. Kates, 130 East 57th St., Room 1315.

EARRING, coral; reward $2. Benedict, 374 Central Park West.

PEARLS—Lost, small string irregular pearls; reward. Duce, Whitehall 1900.

RING lost; jade set with platinum and small diamonds. Reward if returned to the Home Pattern Co., 18 East 18th St.

RING—Sapphire and diamonds, en route New Rochelle to Manhattan; reward. New Rochelle 5323W.

SAMPLES JEWELRY, by salesman, Monday evening, Dec. 18, between 5 and 6, in taxicab; reward. Javotte, 580 Madison Av.

WATCH, open face, monogram E. D. P., attached brooch; reward. Cathedral 4766.

$400 REWARD

for the return of platinum and onyx triangle-shaped watch containing 3 large and numerous small diamonds lost Dec. 18 on board S. S. Berengaria. Black, Starr & Frost, 5th Av. and 48th St.

$75 REWARD

for return of platinum earring containing 15 diamonds and 1 pearl drop, lost Dec. 15 at or between Ritz-Carlton Hotel and East 64th St. Albert R. Lee & Co., Inc., 15 William St. Broad 2764.

$100 REWARD FOR BROOCH.

Diamond shaped, diamonds and platinum, Saturday evening, Dec. 15, street or taxi, 150 West 59th to 116 East 63d. Phone Circle 5607.

$75 REWARD

for return of lady's shell comb with platinum and diamond setting, lost Dec. 13, between 58th and 73d Sts., or in taxicab. Albert R. Lee & Co., Inc., 15 William St. Broad 2764.

$200 REWARD

for return of necklace containing 129 pearls with diamond clasp, lost Dec. 19, between East 51st St. and 58th Sts., or in taxicab. Charlton & Co., 624 5th Av.

$75 REWARD.

Bar pin, platinum, diamonds, onyx, lost Dec. 7, between 52d and 79th Sts. on Park Av. Fred P. Delsler, 15 William St., Broad 4891.

$500 REWARD

for return of pearl necklace containing 75 pearls, lost on the evening of Dec. 8. Raymond C. Yard, 527 5th Av. Vanderbilt 8134.

Wearing Apparel.

BROADTAIL COAT, monkey trimmed, lost about Dec. 19; reward. Pitney 8400.

FUR PIECE, squirrel, and suitcase marked D. L. K., taken out of automobile; liberal reward, no questions asked. W. F. Koerner, 812 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn.

JACKET—Left old-fashioned sealskin jacket in taxicab from Belmont Hotel to Morf's; reward. G 706 Times Downtown.

Cats, Dogs and Birds.

AIREDALE, young male, Dec. 18, brown leg, black back, red collar, no name; liberal reward. E. Sheehan, 121 West 45th St. Bryant 3200.

PEKINGESE, small black and brown, near corner of 87th St. and West End Av., about 10:30 A. M. Dec. 18; reward. T. F. McCarthy, 562 West End Av. Schuyler 6631.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ON NOV. 15, 1923, I have dissolved partnership with Charles Newmark of Longwood Hardware and House Furnishings, 562 Longwood Av., New York City, and will not be responsible for any liabilities incurred by him. HARRY SALKIN.

WANTED TO KNOW WHEREABOUTS OF John Kennedy, formerly of St. Albans, Vt., late of New York City and White Plains, N. Y. Mother seriously ill. Write Mrs. F. E. Blake, 57 Walnut St., St. Albans, Vt.

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Finland Sails Today for California Via West Indies and Panama Canal.

ONE LINER OFF TO EUROPE

Cleveland Departs for Old World—Zeeland and Chicago Bring Americans From Abroad.

Four hundred American tourists leave today on the Panama-Pacific liner Finland for California via Cuba and Panama. They will eat their Christmas dinner while traversing Colon Bay, the Atlantic entrance to the Panama Canal, and afterward, if the weather is fine, they will have a moonlight dance on deck.

Among the passengers is Major Louis A. Beltran, who has been in Washington on a special mission for the Cuban Army. Before sailing, Major and Mrs. Beltran will be the guests of officials of the line at a luncheon on the steamer, at which Philip Taboada, Cuban Consul General here, and Elignio J. Medrana, Vice Consul, will speak.

Others sailing on the Finland are S. Jay Kaufman, Jack Lait, Dr. Herbert Kalmus, former Director of the Research Laboratory of Electrochemistry and Metallurgy for the Canadian Government; Miss Nathalie M. Kalmus of Boston, Al Davidson, part owner of the Blue Nose, Canadian racing schooner; C. S. Bartow of Englewood, N. J.; H. N. Fletcher, Captain Allen Luckhurst, nautical adviser of the International Mercantile Marine Company; H. D. Pillsbury, general counsel for the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Company, San Francisco, and Miss Mildred Hambleton, daughter of the former Captain of the White Star liner Olympic.

Many New Yorkers on the Finland.

New Yorkers on the Finland include Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beyer, Karl Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brody, E. F. Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Rodolphe Corbox, Miss Louise Cover, Mrs. M. L. Echarte, Miss Martha Echarte, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Eggers, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Friedman, Mrs. Elizabeth Herz, A. J. Cameron, Miss Anna Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. August Lang, Roger Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Nap A. Cusson, Mr. and Mrs. Nicor Maury, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Mayer, Miss M. I. Mirick, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Millard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Ransom, P. O. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Soule, Miss Soule, E. H. Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Westing.

German Embassy Official Leaves.

The only vessel leaving today for Europe is the Cleveland of the United American Lines, bound for Cherbourg, Southampton and Hamburg. Among her passengers are Dr. Werner Neumeister, German Embassy officers; Mrs. Neumeister, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Whitney, Mrs. Frank Daus, Eugene Underhill, J. Gordon Hamilton, A. E. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. Josef Lowengard, C. F. Boss, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Barsch and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Greave, Mrs. Magee M. Swaab Jr., Miss Marie N. Swaab, Mrs. Henrietta Held and family, Robert Loch, Albert de Roode and Theodore W. Kneuth.

Passengers who arrived yesterday from Antwerp, Hamburg, Southampton and Cherbourg on the Red Star liner Zeeland included Mr. and Mrs. M. Abraham, Miss E. Beck, Mrs. Elsa Christen, Miss Hildegarde Christen, Miss M. Frank, Mrs. Adele Glade, Miss Alma Harms, H. Harms, Mrs. Eleonore Hollywell, Kurt Kroll, Mr. and Mrs. J. Moeller, Mrs. Katherine Meyer, Miss Agnes Meyer, Hans Nix, N. A. Powers, Miss Dora Traub, Miss Ada Vogel, Emil Weber, the Rev. E. de Lisle, Miss M. Moon and Otto Wolf.

Arriving from London via Cherbourg and Queenstown were David Backman, James Baxter, Charles Daly, Archibald Burns, Miss Barbara Gibbons, Miss E. M. Hill, Miss B. W. Farrand, Miss Rose Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Loveland, R. E. Loftus, Charles H. Joselyn, Mrs. M. R. Means, Miss Cynthia Means, Miss K. Nelson, F. K. Newhall, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. M. Wynne, Miss Wynne, Dudley V. Talcott, Mrs. Dorothy Wilding and Millard L. Thomas.

Arriving from Havre on the French liner Chicago were Miss Valentine Aubert, V. C. Adams, Miss H. Benolet, Miss K. R. Cooke, Miss G. R. Cooke, Miss H. Freeman, Miss R. E. Fiske, H. M. Favrot, G. Gilbert, D. J. Holland, G. M. Harris, Dr. and Mrs. John Hecker, Miss Hecker, S. E. Ortiz, Hubert Meyer, J. T. North, Louis Rey, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richard, Miss E. Wiley, C. Sibbert, Mrs. A. Worthington, J. Howarth and E. Hiller.

ADMITS SHE DIRECTED THREE BANK BANDITS

Marjorie Callahan, Arrested for Indianapolis Robbery, Says She Forbade Any Shooting.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Dec. 19.—A confession that she planned the $9,000 hold-up of the Tuxedo Bank in Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 23, forbade any shooting, and later received 10 per cent. of the loot, was made today by Marjorie Callahan, 21 years old, under arrest here.

Miss Callahan was arrested in an automobile by two detectives, Lieutenant Frank E. Fraley and Sergeant William Dresden, with Leroy C. Young, 35 years old, who, she said, was one of the three bandits. The other two are still at liberty.

Young and Miss Callahan were held for Indianapolis authorities as fugitives. They were trailed here by an Indianapolis detective, who had received a tip from acquaintances of Miss Callahan. They had noted her strange actions before and after the hold-up.

Miss Callahan, according to Lieutenant Fraley, declared that after tying an automobile with part of the $900 she received as her share of the loot, she came to Detroit with Young and they pooled their money in a joint savings account.

Acquaintances of Miss Callahan told the Indianapolis detective that they saw her nervously alight from a street car in the neighborhood of the hold-up at the time it was in progress. Later they saw her buy a paper and peruse eagerly the account of the affair. Half-burned fragments of bonds stolen from the bank were discovered in the furnace of the rooming house where Miss Callahan and Young stayed.

"I went to Indianapolis an unsophisticated country girl from near Howe, Ind.," Miss Callahan said. "Then I got into the wrong sort of company."

Princeton Student Admits Thefts.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 19.—H. L. Baker of Gloversville, N. Y., a student at Princeton University, charged with thefts at the university, was today committed to the Mercer County Jail in default of $2,000 bail by Judge Marshall. Baker pleaded guilty to two charges of grand larceny. Further investigation is being conducted to ascertain if Baker had any confederates.

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Woman Sends In $1,000—Won't Tell From Whom—Other Friends Send Large Sums.

TOTAL YESTERDAY $14,031

Mails Bring 858 Contributions in a Day, Many of Them From Children.

GROUP COLLECTIONS GROW

Five More Days In Which to Help Relieve Distress of the Neediest Before Christmas.

Contributions of $14,031.86 increased the total for the Neediest Cases yesterday to $99,294.48. The number of those who sent gifts was 858, making a total of 5,183 subscribers to this year's fund.

Yesterday's receipts were more than $2,000 less than those reported on the day before. The small contributors, whose welcome gifts count much in the work of relief, continued to come forward in encouraging numbers. Large contributions have been somewhat fewer than in previous years.

Last year, by raising $157,000, the fund saved more than 200 families and individuals. If the work is to succeed as well this year nearly $60,000 must be sent in before Christmas—five days away.

Largest among the contributions yesterday, and one that was made under circumstances typical of many gifts to the Hundred Neediest, was a donation of $1,000 in cash. Ten new $100 bills were turned in by a woman who resolutely shielded her identity.

Early yesterday morning she walked into the Times Square office of THE TIMES. Passing a man who was engrossed in reading a file, and walking over to where several business men were engaged in putting in an advertisement, she asked a clerk if she could make a contribution to the Neediest. Informed that she could, she accepted the printed form and wrote:

"From B. M. for the general fund."

Then handing back the form she opened her pocketbook and laid $1,000 in currency down on the glass topped counter.

The clerk asked in what name the large cash donation should be listed.

"Just as B. M.," said the donor; "that is all."

"But we would like to have the name—we'll not disclose it," said the clerk. "Besides, we need it to make out the customary receipt."

"Just make the receipt out to 'Bearer,'" said the woman, and gathering up the receipt she walked out as calmly as she had entered on her errand of mercy.

Substantial donations also came yesterday from Mortimer L. Schiff, Frederick M. Warburg, Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Fred Stone, the actor, and Pelham Grenville Wodehouse, the author.

Responses came from a score of States, including California, Wisconsin, Illinois, Oregon and North Carolina. One contribution came from Toronto. A man forwarded his fourth gift this year, while one little girl gave up her month's allowance, and another turned over $5 which had been given to her for a sled as a birthday present.

Two little boys wishing to help the cause, found work, earned $10 and sent the money to the fund

Duty to the Unfortunate.

George Gordon Battle, one of the oldest friends of the Neediest wrote:

"Dec. 17, 1923.

"THE NEW YORK TIMES,
"Times Square,
"New York City.

"Sirs: Enclosed please find my check for $50 as a contribution toward Case 72, for the relief of the widow with six young children whose husband has just been killed.

"THE TIMES has rendered a great service to the community in affording such an opportunity to those who wish to give at Christmas time. I can conceive of no better object of benevolence than The Hundred Neediest Cases. In the first place, it is perfectly certain that the persons who receive the gifts are worthy in every respect, and that their necessity is of the greatest. In the second place, the money is bestowed directly and with the least possible incidental expense.

"Furthermore, and in my mind it is perhaps the most important consideration of all, it must soften the hearts of all those who read of these pathetic instances in which disaster and misfortune have overcome those who have not deserved such a fate. It will serve to make us all realize the inequality of fortune and the necessity resting upon those who have been more favored to aid those who cannot help themselves.

"It is a fine thing to send a check to an organization which has for its object the relief of misfortune, but it is far better and more gratifying to ascertain yourself through a trustworthy reading the facts in a case of human misfortune, and thus to give assistance to a fellow creature who sorely needs it. This great work of THE TIMES has come to be a city and, indeed, a national institution. All who are interested in their fellow men must view its establishment with the keenest pleasure and must hope for it a long continued period of usefulness.

"Faithfully yours,

"GEORGE GORDON BATTLE."

In Memory of the Dead.

Gifts sent in memory of the dead, including several for heroes of the World War, numbered sixty-four yesterday. So far, a total of 321 such memorials have been received this year.

A woman living in Syosset, L. I., sent a box containing fruit, clothing and children's gifts. At the offices of the six organizations participating in the Neediest Cases huge bundles of clothing have been received. The woman in Syosset wrote that she could spare but little as "I am depending upon our good health and my husband's wages—but may God bless your work and a Merry Christmas to all the cases."

Dolbeth Lucas & Co., 321 Broadway, offered to the organizations a quantity of Brazilian products, including 100 pounds of malted banana flour, enough soluble matte to make 1,200 cups of matte tea and 400 banana glace.

Group collections reported yesterday were $75 from the Alco Club of the American Locomotive Company, 30 Church Street; $25 from Integrity Lodge 197, F. and A. M.; $10 from employes of Bernard Rice's Sons, Inc., 325 Fifth Avenue; $34.25 from the employes of the International Banking Corporation, 60 Wall Street, and $21 from the advertising staff of the J. C. Penney Company, 370 Seventh Avenue.

Messages From Contributors.

The mail yesterday for the Neediest was exceptionally heavy and contributors' letters were rich in touching passages. Nearly 1,000 letters were received. Excerpts from some of them follow:

Mrs. L. M. K.—The enclosed is for a tuberculosis case, one that may have the fewest donations. It is very small, but the best I can do. My husband was a sufferer and was taken from me July 14 last. I am fighting alone after a terrible financial loss which caused the illness of his death. He was not strong enough to overcome the worry caused by the failure. God is with you in this work.

Mrs. R. D.—This $10 which would have gone for a Christmas present for Richard is for Case 41, because his warm heart would have rejoiced to help a tired mother. Please only list as in memory of Richard.

T. W. E.—As a war sufferer myself, dropping almost overnight from an income of thousands to almost nothing, my heart is tender toward the neediest ones. As, however, my present income won't quite stretch over my needs, in spite of all my work, my gift is tiny; the pennies are squeezed out from other clamoring demands. But all life is a balance of what is good, and what is better, and this call is urgent. Every one of this little $5 goes to you with the wish it were a thousand. Please apply to the case which has had the least attention.

W. W.—Please give me the worst of your cases. I wish I could add on three figures more, but know that this little will be of help.

L. M. T.—I am far from "Easy Street" but take this and a Merry Christmas to them all.

Seymour Abrahams, 6 years old—Please give this check to Case 76 as I also have a birthday during Christmas week and am taking this means of sharing it with Edith and Ralph.

Bertha and Joe—A Merry Christmas to all—all—of the Neediest!

Little Hearts Beat True.

Mildred J. Kaye—Enclosed please find check for $1, which my mother dear gave me to send to these poor people. I also remembered them last year and hope some day to be able to send much more by myself. May God give you the best of luck and success in the work.

Margaret Dennis—I am sending my month's allowance of $1 to Margaret of Case 84. I am interested in her because we have the same name and the same age. Please wish her a Merry Christmas for me.

Dear Mr. Times Man—Martha, my little sister, and I have read about the One Hundred Neediest families you are trying to help and we want to help a little. We are sending a dollar. It is not much, I know, but it will go a little way at least toward making some poor little girl or boy happy on Christmas Day.—Mary Reed.

A. M. H.—I am requested to send you a cashier's check for $20. This contribution is from four children, all under 10 years of age, who have given half the Christmas money which was given them. Their initials, for acknowledgment, are Z. G. T., J. N. T., J. C. B. and A. S. B., Jr.

C. E. D.—Please give the enclosed to Case 76, the dear little "School Scarecrows," with the sincere hope that the needed amount will be donated and this little sister and brother made happier and comfortable.

Ridgewood—From a friend who is very glad to help.

Mrs. L. M. B., Wilmington, Del.—This for Case 10, or if she is already cared for, use it for some old lady.

Seymour Howard Jr., Washington—I am sending $2 for Case 19, because they probably won't get any Christmas toys nor gifts.

Springfield, Mass.—In supplement to the check that I sent to you yesterday, my daughter Marjorie Altree, also desires to participate to the best of her ability. I enclose my additional check for Cases 2 and 66.

Bayport, Pa.—If there is in any case a sufferer of diabetes, please apply this card their case, and if possible arrange for the insulin treatment in a hospital that accepts such cases.

Wish They Could Give More.

Mrs. F. S. B., Palmerton, Pa.—In memory of Kathleen, who was a semi-invalid herself.

A. P. B., Sound Beach—My fourth contribution and hope it will help to find some motherless child a happy Christmas.

Sailor, Hampton Roads Training Station—It is for that case for which the least money has thus far been received.

Pearl C. Jacobs, Toronto—Please accept this mite for your wonderful work from one who wishes she might multiply it many times.

A Friend—I am inclosing herewith a cashier's check for $5. Please use it wherever you think best. All of the cases sound so pitiful that I only wish I could send $5 for each one. Before reading the articles I was feeling sorry for myself because I have to spend this Christmas away from my family and friends. Others' misfortunes have shown me how to count my blessings.

The Mother—Enclosed please find my check for Case 75. My little boys would like to see these poor little ones relieved. From Ted and Dick Geiger.

F. J. H.—This is for Case 50. I would like to learn something of the progress of little Julia with her violin.

Mrs. Jack Israel—Enclosed please find $10—$5 each from James and John Israel, which they earned themselves for this cause.

Harriette Holbrook—Again I add my check for your most interesting and impelling charity. I cannot see how anyone can read these accounts of pathetic want and distress and not feel moved to do all possible for relief.

Mrs. C. W. W., Red Bank—This is from my little son, 2 years old, to help brighten some other little fellow's life.

Flora F. Carr, Waco County Library, The Dalles, Ore.—I am enclosing a check in response to reading some of the Hundred Neediest Cases printed in your Sunday edition of Dec. 9. I'd like to see it placed for Cases 1 and 85.

Typical of the neediest cases are:

CASE 19.

Seven Who Are Fatherless.

Albert H. grew up in a family that knew a great deal about Santa Claus. When he married and seven children were born in rapid succession he kept to the tradition. Each year, long after the children had gone to bed, he would wait in red suit and whiskers for the coming of Santa. When the frost-covered old man hopped brightly into the room Albert H. would greet him cordially and the visitor, recognizing some one who knew about these things, always left more gifts than had been asked for in the children's letters. Last year, however, Albert H. was very sick and very poor, and so there was no one to greet Santa, and the stockings remained empty. This year Santa may not even come down the chimney, for Albert H. died in April. Mrs. H. knows he will not, for poverty came after the father died, but the children think that perhaps Santa may drop in, just to see if Albert H. has come back. Jean is 12, Harold 10, Elizabeth 8, Elsie 7, Edwin 5, Beatrice 3 and Eva 1. Investigators report that prompt help is needed here.

Amount needed, $205.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 6.

Robert, Five Months Old.

The landlady found Robert sleeping all alone in the big bed. By his side was a parcel containing a few clothes for him. That was all. His mother had slipped away in the night. She was never heard of again. She had come with her baby and rented the room, and for several days she kept within its four walls. It seemed she was hesitating over her desertion. Then came the morning when the landlady, climbing the stairs, discovered Robert. He is still tiny, pale and undersized, weighing less than seven pounds, although apparently five months old. Organically sound, say the doctors, yet he must be watched very closely. His life hangs in the balance, but good feeding and the right care will help him to win out.

Amount needed, $200.

Case reported by the State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 1454.)

CASE 20.

Will They Be Home for Christmas?

The father died of influenza, and the shock of his death prostrated his young wife. For weeks she was seriously ill, and she left the hospital too soon. There were six children to support, none old enough to understand what had happened. Three of them were put in an institution. Tom, the man of the family, was left at home. So were Mary and Henry. The mother insisted on going to work at once, and for the last eighteen months she has been leaving the house at 6 o'clock in the morning and not returning until 6 at night. In this way she has been able to buy the necessities of life. Tom recently got a job after school and is earning a couple of dollars a week. Henry has been put in a health centre. He is very delicate, and unless he gets special care and diet he may contract lung trouble. After his treatments at the centre he goes home to help Mary, a housewife in pigtails, get things in shape so that mother's tired hands may rest when she comes in. A fund to carry them through the year would mean that the three in the home could come back to stay—home in time for Christmas Eve.

Amount needed, $250.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200.)

CASE 66.

Finding a Smile for Hilda.

When Hilda's mother was taken by influenza her father ceased to care. All their relatives were far away in the old country. And so Hilda was left to shift for herself. She is only 8 years old, but has had many hard knocks and is afraid that she will be turned loose again in the world. Her blue eyes look with cold gravity on her fellow-men; she has not yet found that it pays to trust people. An effort is being made to find a home for her where she will be truly wanted, where the rough corners can be smoothed, and she can learn to smile now and then. Until this is found she must be boarded.

Amount needed, $200.

Case reported by the State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-third Street. (Telephone Gramercy 1454.)

CASE 10.

Alone in Her Age.

There are times when Rose Nolan, old and alone, almost wishes to follow along the path trodden, one by one, by her husband and four children. Fate and the chilling years have left her a forlorn figure, forgotten among the millions. She lives by herself in her one-room apartment, and no one calls. Her world is what dim eyes can see through the window pane, and only the voices of memories speak there—memories conjured from her keepsakes and treasures, a coat, a chair, a picture, that link the sad present to the glad past. The one room is immaculate, and there hovers in it an air of gentleness as she sits listening for the last summons in the room where she wishes to die. To keep that home she must have aid.

Amount needed, $360.

Case reported by the Catholic Charities, 480 Lexington Avenue. (Telephone Vanderbilt 1420.)

CASE 82.

Sick and Burdened.

"Nurse," whispered the fevered woman on the hospital bed, "how is my husband—better or worse?" She was always asking for him and for her three children, Edward, who is 9, Jennie, 4, and 1-year-old Joseph. The whole family was down with influenza. The children, nurse assured her, were coming along splendidly. "And my husband?" the sick woman would persist. Somehow the nurses were always called away when this question came. When the days wore by and she began to mend the news of her widowhood was broken to Mrs. B. Holding herself in, the sick woman vowed she would assume all responsibility for the family. She went to work in a factory. Her health was not equal to her courage. She had to give up. Now she is struggling to do part-time work, but this does not bring in enough to buy even the necessaries of life.

Amount needed, $400.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200.)

CASE 98.

Five in Dire Need.

Some time about Christmas week the fifth child is to be born in the three-room flat where Mrs. J. has lived for the last fourteen years. It is a dingy, little cranny at the rear of the top floor of an east side tenement. The father, who worked hard and faithfully for years, is away in a hospital, and the doctor's report is not very hopeful. The new baby will probably be the only gift to come to the family this holiday season. A month or so ago J. insisted that he was well enough to leave the hospital bed returned to his old position. He wanted to earn for his wife, and he knew that Christmas morning might bring keen disappointment to 11-year-old Bertha; Claude, who is 10; Charlie, who is 8, and Lillie, a toddler of 6. He came back too soon. Now he is in the hospital again in a worse condition than before. With the newcomer in the family, his wife will not be able to work for some time. In the interval there is no income and Christmas and the beyond loom up as a dark vista. Help will change the picture.

Amount needed, $864.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 100.

Sews to Support Seven.

Mrs. A. is struggling to keep together her family of six children, the oldest of them only 10. They are girls of 19, 9, 6, 2 and 1, and a boy of 5. The father is in a hospital for the insane, and although there is a hope for his ultimate recovery the doctors know that it will be some time before he is well enough to resume the task of provider. In the year before Mr. A. was sent away the family savings were all used in doctors' bills. Because of the year-old baby Mrs. A. cannot accept heavier and better-paying work. This family is dependent upon the mother's needle. It is not enough.

Amount needed, $700.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200.)

CASE 8.

The Father Is Doomed.

For six years the J. family have not known what the morrow would bring forth. Most of the time their father has been in a hospital for the tubercular. In July his condition seemed improved, and he returned to his trade of cabinetmaker to help his wife support their four children. They were looking forward to a happy Christmas for the children—two girls, 14 and 8, and two boys, 12 and 7. For many years they had been separated at Christmas. One day last week J. went for his usual monthly examination. The doctor told him that Christmas holdings had made him work harder than he should have done. At any rate, the doctor said that he should go to a hospital that very day. Now they say that he is doomed. His wife and the children do not know. They are waiting for Christmas and Mrs. J. is trying to make a surprise fund by finishing men's coats. Before Christmas dawns she will know that this holiday is to be just as lonely as the others and that those that are to come will be even worse. Perhaps the mother's intuition has been touched, for only the other day she remarked on the strange way the work, tiring and trying work, seemed to "drag." There was a question in her eyes as she said it. Help must be given if the family is to stay together.

Amount needed, $835.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200).

The New York Times made its first Christmas appeal for the Hundred Neediest Cases in 1912. So this is the twelfth year. The record of receipts in the eleven previous years follows:

1912	$3,630.38
1913	9,646.36
1914	15,032.46
1915	31,819.92
*1916	55,792.45
*1917	62,103.47
*1918	81,097.57
*1919	106,967.14
*1920	111,126.00
*1921	125,011.10
*1922	157,421.08

*200 cases each year since 1916.

No agents or solicitors are authorized to seek contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases.

Checks should be made payable to the "Hundred Neediest Cases Fund." Contributions may be sent to THE NEW YORK TIMES, Times Square, New York City, or to any of the following organizations which present the cases:

THE NEW YORK ASSOCIATION FOR IMPROVING THE CONDITION OF THE POOR, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE STATE CHARITIES AID ASSOCIATION, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE CHARITY ORGANIZATION SOCIETY, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE BROOKLYN BUREAU OF CHARITIES, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn.

THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES, 480 Lexington Avenue.

THE FEDERATION FOR THE SUPPORT OF JEWISH PHILANTHROPIC SOCIETIES, 114 Fifth Avenue.

The six charity organizations which administer the Hundred Neediest Cases do so free of cost. There is no deduction of any kind, administrative or executive. Every dollar and every cent contributed goes to the Neediest.

Midnight Tonight 8 P. M. Tomorrow

For Classified Sections next Sunday, Display Real Estate advertisements must be received before midnight tonight. All other classified advertisements before 8 P. M. tomorrow.

Advertisements for daily editions must be received before 4 P. M. on day preceding publication.

What the Money Given for Case 97 Last Year Has Meant.

The Appeal.

The charitable society heard of this couple from a doctor, who wrote: "I beg to recommend to you Mrs. Bertha J., who is very poor and needs your help at once." The visitor found a woman almost 70-years old helpless in bed with a broken leg. She and her husband, now 76, had lived in the same apartment of two rooms for thirty-six years. They had nine children, but all were dead. The husband is too feeble to work. The wife was the breadwinner until her accident. She paid the rent by cleaning halls, stairs and sidewalks, and earned money by finishing tailor-made garments. She will be a long time recovering. They are very anxious to remain together in their old home.

The Result.

The holidays were a happy time for this couple, for after anxiety they knew they could keep their little home. But soon after the holiday season Mr. J. died, quietly and without suffering. His wife decided to remain in the familiar rooms and there she is today, contented and comfortable. She is feeble and is under the care of a doctor and a nurse. She walks on crutches and will need them always. Neighbors are kind about doing the housework for her and her small errands. Last year's neediest fund has provided her with a monthly income and some of the money still remains to help her into the new year.

Contributions for the Neediest Cases Yesterday Were $14,031; 858 Gifts Received in a Day; Total of the Fund Now Is $99,294

Contributions for the Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $14,031.86, making a total of $99,294.48 received so far this year. Contributions were received as follows:

By The New York Times	$11,284.75
By the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	1,174.50
By the Charity Organization Society	600.00
By the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	440.00
By the State Charities Aid Association	292.00
By the Catholic Charities	15.00
By the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies	225.61
Total	$14,031.86
Previously acknowledged	85,262.62
Complete total	$99,294.48

Contributions received by The New York Times:

A Boy $1; Abrahams, Seymour 10; A. C. B. 5; A. C. S. 50; Adams, Mrs. A. R. 15; Adams, Mary E. 25; Adler, Simon 25; A Friend 1; A Friend 5; A Friend 2; A Friend 10; A Friend 5; A Friend 25; A Friend 100; A Friend 20; A Friend 2; A Friend 5; A Friend 5; A Friend 10; A Friend 5; A Friend 15; A Friend 10; A Friend 2; A Friend Who Is Very Glad 2; A. F. S. 20; Ahern, Marg't 5; Alan & Kathleen 5; Alco Club 75; Alexander, C.C.Jr. 5; Alexander, Mary H. 5; Allen, Barbara B. 1.25; Allen, James G. 1.25; Allen, Mrs. P. H. 6; Aller, L., N.Y. 20; Altree, Marjorie 5; Ames, Alfred S. 25; A. M. 5; A Mother in the Hope of Helping Some Little One. 10; Anonymous 2; Anonymous 3; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 2; Anonymous 15; Anonymous 10; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 1; Anonymous 10; Anonymous 10; Anonymous 200; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 100; Anonymous 50; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 25; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 5; Anonymous 5

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CENTENARIAN LIKES TO LISTEN TO RADIO

Charles Bell Pearson of Brooklyn Gets Roomful of Flowers on Reaching 100.

HEARD CLAY AND JENNY LIND

The Last Twenty Years Were the Best, He Says—Deplores Church Controversy.

Charles Bell Pearson, who is older than telegraphy and sang campaign songs for Daniel Webster, sat yesterday in his home at 396 Vanderbilt Avenue, Brooklyn, chatting with his children and receiving well-wishers who dropped in singly and in groups throughout the day to pay their respects. He was celebrating his 100th birthday. Friends testified that it found him with a mind as keen and a step as alert as ever, while his sister, Miss Mary A. Pearson, declared that his appetite was "wonderful."

Mr. Pearson believes that the last twenty years of his life have been the best. Until he was 80, it was said, he had not been in sound health, but since then he has had few ailments. His only affliction is in his eyes. He is partly blind, but that does not prevent him from keeping up with the times. Every morning his sister reads the newspapers to him and the man who has not the slightest difficulty in remembering the first telephone often listens in on the broadcasting stations with his radio.

He is the oldest living member of the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church and heard its founder, the late Dr. Cuyler, preach his first sermon in Saratoga. On the occasion of his reaching the century mark, members of the congregation presented him with a book signed by the pastor, Dr. C. C. Albertson, and 300 communicants. Floral gifts almost filled one room.

For forty-three years Mr. Pearson has been a member of the Brooklyn-Nassau Presbytery and for fifty-six years he has been an elder in the Lafayette Avenue Church. He was first elected an elder in the year he came to Brooklyn, 1867, and has been re-elected every three years since then. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Silas Pearson and was born in Westminster, Mass.

He came to New York in 1844, and in the choir of the Allen Street Presbyterian Church met Miss Susan A. Davidson, whom he married in 1849. She died in 1912 at the age of 86. There were five children, three of whom are living. Mr. Pearson has three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. Pearson says he can recall vividly events that occurred ninety-six years ago. He heard Henry Clay speak in Castle Garden, now the Aquarium, in 1844 and he heard Jenny Lind sing in 1851. He deplores the controversy in the Protestant churches and declares "the trouble is that present-day members of the Church are trying to settle a question they know absolutely nothing about."

HEAVY GUARD FOR SLAYER.

Cohen Protected From "Kid Dropper" Gang on Way to Sing Sing.

The underworld importance of Louis Cohen, slayer of "Kid Dropper," was emphasized yesterday when he was taken from his cell in the Tombs to a train for Sing Sing to serve his sentence of from twenty years to life.

Before he was taken from the Tombs, Cohen was handcuffed to another prisoner. Outside the building detectives searched half a dozen members of the Cohen and Kid Dropper gangs, but none carried a weapon. Eleven other prisoners were placed in the prison van with Cohen. Acting Sheriff John Cogey, eight deputy sheriffs and Acting Captain Cornelius Willemse and a dozen detectives followed or rode alongside the prison van, while two policemen on motorcycles rode ahead of the van to Police Headquarters.

At headquarters Cohen was fingerprinted and photographed. Then he was placed in a closed automobile crowded with detectives. Another police car followed. The two motorcycle men again rode ahead to the Grand Central Terminal, where Cohen was hurried aboard a train. The eight deputy sheriffs went to Ossining with him.

City Island Pastor Ousted.

Special to The New York Times.

WHITE PLAINS, Dec. 19.—Supreme Court Justice Morschauser granted a permanent injunction today against the Rev. Thomas A. F. Collett continuing as vicar of Grace Episcopal Church at City Island, the Bronx, and signed an order evicting him from the parish house.

Today's Radio Program

DEC. 20.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
Numerals after names of stations show wave length in meters.

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.
9:30 A. M. — Music; William Friedman, piano.
11:00 A. M.—"Tons and Tons of Delicious Biscuit," by Clarke E. Davis.
11:15 A. M.—Musical program.
11:30 A. M.—"A Christmas Dinner," by William Johns.
11:50 A. M.—Market reports.
12:00 Noon—Market reports.
4:00 P. M.—Landau's Barnstaders.
5:30 P. M.—Stories and songs by Elsie Joan and Santa Claus.
7:00 P. M.—Midweek services by the New York Federation of Churches; music by the Aida Quartet; Arthur Hunt, baritone; address by Dr. George E. Pickard.
7:30 P. M.—Sport Talk.
7:40 P. M.—Dora Pardee, cornet.
7:50 P. M.—Story read by W. L. Roberts.
8:00 P. M.—"Auction Bridge," by Raymond F. Rods.
8:10 P. M.—Dora Pardee, cornet.
8:15 P. M.—Christmas concert by the Schola Cantorum, direct from Carnegie Hall.
10:15 P. M.—Helen Devonia, soprano.
10:30 P. M.—"Tut-ankh-Amen and Recent Discoveries in Egypt," by Arthur Weigall.
10:45 P. M.—Helen Devonia, soprano.
11:00 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455.
8:00 P. M.—Christmas music by the Festival Quartet; Dora Pardee, cornet.
4:00P. M.—Book Review.
4:15 P. M.—Octet and the Jass Band of the Princeton Triangle Club.
5:00 P. M.—Market reports, closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange; foreign exchange quotations; news.
7:00 P. M.—"Santa Claus Stories," by Burr McIntosh.
7:30 P. M.—Selzer's Orchestra.
7:45 P. M.—Talk.
8:00 P. M.—Dance program.
8:15 P. M.—Organ recital.
9:00 P. M.—"The Game Preserve Bill," by M. J. Cady.
9:15 P. M.—Janet Hecht, contralto; Mabel Corey, piano.
9:45 P. M.—Address by Elinor Belmont.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast.
10:00 P. M.—Julius Richter, violin.
10:20 P. M.—Hotel Commodore Dance Orchestra.

WJY, NEW YORK—405.
7:30 P. M.—Musical program from the Brooklyn Strand Theatre.
8:30-11:30 P. M.—Yale Glee Club Concert direct from Town Hall.

WQAO, NEW YORK—360.
8:00 P. M.—Debate, "Resolved, That the Bible Is the Infallible Word of God," by Rev. John Roach Straton, affirmative, and Rev. Charles F. Porter, negative.

WHN, NEW YORK—360.
2:15-3:15 P. M.—Popular songs; piano solos.
3:45-5:30 P. M.—Songs; piano selections.
5:30-10:00 P. M.—Gold's Orchestra.
10:00-10:10 P. M.—Astrology.
10:10-10:15 P. M.—"Advice to Girls Who Wish to Go Into the Movies," by Clara Morton.
10:15-10:45 P. M.—Manford's Ace Orchestra.
10:45-12:00 P. M.—Popular songs; 'cello solos.

WOR, NEWARK—405.
2:30 P. M.—Carrol Clark, baritone.
2:45 P. M.—Edna Bianchi, contralto.
3:00 P. M.—Carrol Clark, baritone.
3:15-3:45 P. M.—"Opportunity the Motion Picture Industry Offers Today!" by Eve Struyvesant.
3:45 P. M.—Edna Bianchi, contralto.
6:15 P. M.—"Icicle," by Santa Claus.
6:30-7:30 P. M.—Copper's Country Club Orchestra.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
9:30 A. M.—Vocal and instrumental choir.
10:15 A. M.—Produce market reports.
1:00-2:00 P.M.—Concert orchestra; market reports.
3:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos.
6:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Bedtime story.
8:00 P. M.—Boy Scouts' program.
8:30 P. M.—Dancing lesson.
8:40 P. M.—Junior High School Orchestra.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—395.
1:30 P. M.—Weather report.
6:00 P. M.—Sherwood Century Club program.
6:00 P. M.—Weather report; dance music.
7:00 P. M.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories; rollcall.
8:00 P. M.—Address.
8:15 P. M.—Police Band concert.
9:00 P. M.—Organ recital.
9:30 P. M.—"Conditions in the Near East," by E. H. Fage.

WDAR, PHILADELPHIA—395.
12:00 M.—Organ recital.
2:00-3:00 P. M.—Arcadia Orchestra; vocal recital; talk, "The Christmas Market Basket."
4:30-5:00 P. M.—Musical program; talk.
7:30 P. M.—Dream Daddy.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA—509.
11:00 A. M.—Organ recital.
11:30 A. M.—Weather forecast.
11:35 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Tuscora orchestra.
5:15 P. M.—Organ, trumpets; Christmas carols.
6:30 P. M.—Sports; police reports.
9:56 P. M.—Time signals.
10:02 P. M.—Weather forecast.

WFAN, PROVIDENCE—275.
12:00 M.-1:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
12:10 P. M.—Weather reports.
4:00 P. M.—Weather forecast.
6:00-10:00 P. M.—Same program as WNAC.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.
1:00 P. M.—Orchestra; weather.

WSAD, PROVIDENCE—261.
3:30-4:00 P. M.—Concert program.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Music; bedtime story.

WGI, MEDFORD, MASS.—360.
12:00 M.—Music.
12:30 P. M.—Weather forecast.
12:40 P. M.—Market reports.
5:00 P. M.—New England weather forecast; closing report on farmers' produce market, bid, etc., stock market, hides and egg reports; closing stock market reports.
6:30 P. M.—Boston police reports.
6:40 P. M.—Code practice.
7:00 P. M.—"Wells of Wisdom," by G. H. Reid; bedtime story; Mendelssohn Choral Society concert.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—337.
11:55 A.M.—Arlington time signals; weather reports; Springfield and Boston market reports.
7:30 P. M.—"Twilight Tales;" Farmer's letter.
8:00 P. M.—Mrs. C. G. Simpson, contralto.
9:00 P. M.—Bedtime story for grown-ups.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals.

WNAC, BOSTON—476.
9:10 A. M.—Christmas carols.
9:35 A. M.—Gift suggestions.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather reports.
12:02 P. M.—Stock market quotations.
12:15 P. M.—King's Chapel services.
1:00 P. M.—Address, "Business and Charity," by F. W. Ramsey.
1:30 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Orchestra and organ.
5:00 P. M.—Stock quotations.
5:30 P. M.—Christmas concert.
9:30 P. M.—Dance music.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:30 P. M.—Stock market report.
12:40 P. M.—Produce market report.
12:45 P. M.—Weather report.
3:00 P. M.—Music and address, "Conserving Our Forests," Mrs. E. O. Whitmyre.
6:00 P. M.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.
6:15 P. M.—Report on conditions of roads in New York State.
6:30 P. M.—Talk by Santa Claus.
7:45 P. M.—Musical program by Albany Chamber of Commerce Mixed Quartet and Albany College of Pharmacy Orchestra; "New Books," by L. C. Hopkins; address, "Citizenship," by Roy S. Smith.

WMAK, LOCKPORT—300.
12:00 M.—Weather forecast.

WGR, BUFFALO—319.
10:45 A. M.—Weather reports.
12:00 M.—Weather and market reports.
12:30 P. M.—Organ.
3:30 P. M.—Chicago Board of Trade closing prices.
5:30 P. M.—Closing prices New York Stock Exchange.
4:00 P. M.—Tea-time music.
5:00 P. M.—Weather; daily reports.
6:30 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—News; employment bulletins; Boy Scout radiogram.

WJAX, CLEVELAND—389.
3:33 P. M.—Crude rubber quotations.
8:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326.
9:45 A. M.—Live stock and market reports.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Market reports.
6:15 P. M.—Symphony Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—Farm program.
7:45 P. M.—Children's period.
8:00 P. M.—Market reports.
8:15 P. M.—Farm program.
8:30 P. M.—South Side Presbyterian Church Choir.
9:55 P. M.—Signals; weather forecast.
11:30 P. M.—Concert program.

WSAI, CINCINNATI—366.
9:05-11:00 P. M.—Union Central Chorus.

WLW, CINCINNATI—309.
11:00 P. M.—Christmas carols from the Conservatory of Music; reading of Dickens's "Christmas Carol."

WWJ, DETROIT—516.
6:59 P. M.—Detroit News Orchestra; vocal solos.
10:00 P. M.—Dance Orchestra.
11:00 P. M.—Orchestra; vocal solos.

WCX, DETROIT—517.
6:00 P. M.—Orchestra concert.
7:00 P. M.—Musical program.

KYW, CHICAGO—536.
7:30 P. M.—Children's bedtime story.
9:00-9:30 P. M.—Reading by Rev. C. J. Fennin.
9:30 P. M.—Weather reports.
9:35-10:30 P. M.—Musical program; the latest news every half hour, day and night.

WDAP, CHICAGO—360.
10.00 P. M.—Dance orchestra.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—448.
9:00 P. M.—Opera, "Hansel and Gretel."

WJAZ, CHICAGO—447.
11:00 A. M.-1:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; Oriole Orchestra.

WOC, DAVENPORT, IOWA—484.
8:25 P. M.—Chimes concert.
7:30 P. M.—Sandman's visit.
7:50 P. M.—Weather forecast.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Dance orchestra; vocal solos.

NAA, ARLINGTON, VA.—435.
10:05-10:25 A. M.—Weather reports.
5:05-5:30 P. M.—Weather reports.
10:05-10:30 P. M.—Weather reports.

WRC, WASHINGTON—469.
3:00 P. M.—Fashion developments.
3:10 P. M.—Wanda Lyon, soprano.
3:20 P. M.—Talk.
3:35 P. M.—Piano recital.
3:45 P. M.—Current events.
4:00 P. M.—Violin solos.
5:15 P. M.—Code practice.
6:00 P. M.—Children's hour.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—411.
7:02 P. M.—Weather forecast.
7:05-8:00 P. M.—Educational and music.
12:45-2:00 A. M.—"Nighthawk Frolic," Conn-Sanders Orchestra.

KSD, St. LOUIS—545.
9:30 P. M.—Westminster Presbyterian Church Choir; vocal solos.

WSC, MEMPHIS—500.
9:30 P. M.—Philharmonic Orchestra.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE—399.
8:30-10:00 P. M.—Violin quartet; soprano solos; radio forum talk; dinner of Sunday School lessons; official Standard Time announced at 10 o'clock.

WBAP, FORT WORTH—476.
2:30-3:30 P. M.—Concert program.
10:30-11:45 P. M.—Girls' Mandolin Club concert.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH—462.
5:30 P. M.—Vocal recital.
11:00 P. M.—Concert program.

WFAA, DALLAS—476.
9:30-10:30 P. M.—Harmony Five Orchestra.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—396.
1:05-3:00 P. M.—Hickman's Orchestra.

WEH, ATLANTA—429.
9:05-10:00 P. M.—Vocal selections.
11:45 P. M.—Organ recital.

CKAC, MONTREAL—425.
7:00 P. M.—Bedtime story.
7:30 P. M.—Instrumental Trio; solos.

WLAG, MINNEAPOLIS—417.
5:30 P. M.—Lecture.
10:15 P. M.—Weather report.

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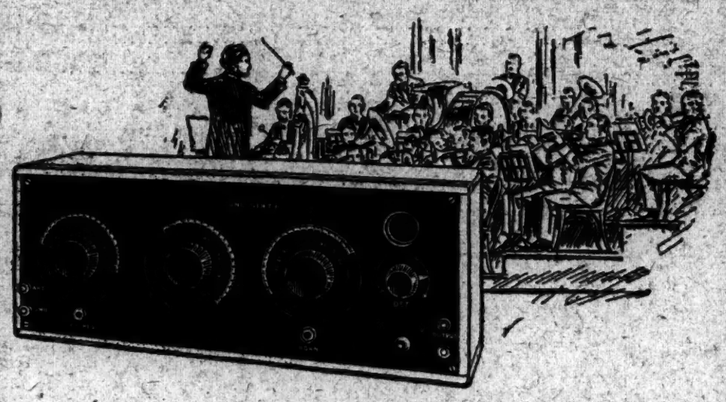

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Little Done in Gray Goods.

Very little trading was done in the local gray goods market yesterday. First hands continued to hold aloof from the market, and second hands, with most of their surpluses profitably disposed of, made little effort to push re-sales. Some printcloth trading took place for nearby delivery on the basis of 10¾ cents for 3¼-inch 64-60s and 12⅝ cents for 39-inch 68-72s, but the volume of goods moved was not large. In the sheetings, which were very quiet, prices were nominally firm on the basis of 13½ cents for 37-inch 48-square, four-yard goods.

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Silk Sales Directors Organize.

Sales directors of firms now included in the broad silk division of the Silk Association of America have formed a distinct group of their own within the association. This action has been approved by the Executive Committee of the association, it was announced yesterday, and was made necessary by the desire to concentrate on certain phases of activity of particular importance to sales directors. These include the prevention of trade abuses, more widespread adoption of the uniform contract and selling terms and the education of the trade in certain technical facts which affect sales. W. H. Yelland of the Cant Schoen Silk Corporation is Chairman of the new group.

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See Scarcity of Novelty Cloths.

Despite the lack of snap to the demand for dress goods, sellers here whose main production is centred on novelty cloths see no reason for alarm at the moment. This feeling, held by both silk and woolen cloth distributors, is apparently based on the belief that when buying does start it will be mostly of the novelty goods. Silks are expected to have the call, as it is a Spring season. Staple silks appear, from present indications, to show no appreciable gain in vogue. In the woolen and worsted dress goods a novelties predominate, and it is the impression now that certain of these will be in comparatively scant supply when the cutters really swing into active manufacturing for Spring.

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An Early Start for Spring.

While ready-to-wear buying for Spring is still slow, due to the desire of retailers to concentrate attention mainly on selling between now and the turn of the year, it is believed that buying immediately after that will take a sudden spurt. This is based on the assumption that the showings to consumers will be fairly early, which, in turn, hinges to a large extent on the weather. It is pointed out that if the present open winter continues for the greater part of the next two months it will give the retailer an excellent opportunity to start off the season at an early date, allowing that much more selling time before Easter. The reverse, however, would be the case if the winter turns into a cold and long drawn-out affair following its mild beginnings.

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More Calls for Turbans.

With the coming of colder weather and the increased number of fur coats seen on the streets there has come about a picking up in the demand for turbans in local millinery circles. A Chinese effect in black, with a long silk tassel, is one of the new styles that is doing well, the shape being a close coronet draped on a sectional crown tip and stitched in long silver and white chenille. The tassel hangs well down the back of the wearer. Also doing well from all accounts are turbans of rich Far Eastern brocades and solid-color metal cloth effects trimmed by a band of rhinestones drawn diagonally across the front. Visor and small-brimmed types are likewise shown in metal brocades. The crowns are a little higher than the usual run of turbans, and the shapes conform with the head on the sides.

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The Weather Held Responsible.

One of the interesting things about the slippers for men that are being sold for gifts this year in the shoe department of one of the most prominent stores in the country is that a larger proportion than usual of leather slippers to felt ones is being taken. All through the spite of the higher price of the leather slippers, "top" on them being about $2.50, against a "high" of about $4 for felt ones. The only explanation the buyer had to offer yesterday was that the relatively warm weather that has been experienced until recently. Leather slippers are much the cooler of the two, and purchasers seemed to be swayed by that fact. That seems to be proved by the spurt in sales of felt slippers experienced last Saturday, and which has since continued. Between Friday night and Saturday morning the thermometer dropped about 30 degrees.

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Depends on Holiday Turnover.

With retailers making every effort to keep stocks low during the closing month of the year, much depends on the holiday turnover with respect to renewed buying of men's shirts. The ordering for Spring, according to manufacturers, has been relatively light so far, and any substantial carryover of stocks would be a hampering influence in the booking of the expected volume of additional business through the Fall the manufacturers have complained of the lack of snap to buying by the retailers. So far, the reports received from the stores regarding the holiday turnover have not been remarkably encouraging, although in some sections the retail demand has been satisfactory. While efforts are being made to push stripes, the indications seem to be that the solid color shirt is again to predominate for Spring.

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Would Like to See Some Snow.

A little snow would not be amiss just about now, according to rumors emanating from the Duane Street shoe district for, if it came, more of the money that is owed to jobbers in that part of the town might be paid next month than may otherwise be the case. As the situation was explained yesterday, the average shoe retailer in this part of the country has not had any too good a Fall season, with the result that collections are not as large as they might be. In addition to this, many of the retailers are said to be quite heavily stocked with rubbers, due to the active buying that followed the depletion of their supplies by the stormy weather of last Winter and Spring. These stocks now form what is known as "frozen capital," and it is likely to stay that way until a good snowstorm comes along and the resultant consumer demand for rubbers thaws it out.

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Look for Varied Opening Dates.

It appears that the sharp division of opinion with regard to the opening dates for the heavyweight lines that exists in the wool goods trade may lead to a greater lack of uniformity than is usual. This it was predicted yesterday, will be particularly true of the so-called "independent" mills. The leading producer is thought likely to show its lines without any undue delay, beginning with staples and semi-staples on Jan. 14 or 21. A good portion of the rest of the market apparently feels that there will be no advantage gained by opening early. Representatives of these houses say they will open only when their trade appears ready to buy, which leads to the assumption that the various openings will be more or less scattered. One of the well-known mills making men's wear fancy worsteds, it was learned yesterday, will probably not show before the first or second week in February.

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To Use Belts This Spring.

Advance orders received for leather belts indicate that they will be used extensively on Spring garments, according to a statement sent out by the United Women's Wear League of America. Even manufacturers who do not make a specialty of selling the garment trades, but depend very largely on business obtained from buyers for retail stores, are receiving orders from dress and knit goods houses. Sweater suits, as well as dresses, will make use of belts during the coming season. The most popular belts continue to range in width from three-fourths of an inch to an inch, with only a limited number of the wider ones in demand. Brown heads the list of popular colors and cocoa is the most favored shade. This is because it harmonizes so well with tan, and tan and brown plaids are to have a decided vogue in sports clothes this Spring. Suede continues the most popular finish of the belts that are now being purchased by the dress manufacturers.

DRY GOODS SITUATION.

Size of Stocks and Outlook in Cotton, Woolens and Silks.

Information received from wholesalers in various parts of the country by the National Wholesale Dry Goods Association indicates that, compared with a year ago, stocks in their hands average 10 to 15 per cent. higher. One reason ascribed for this condition, according to the December market letter sent to members of the association by George A. Fernley, is the fact that the weather this Fall has not been severe. As a result, repeat orders for seasonable merchandise have not been received.

"Reports on the size of retail stocks conflict," the report goes on. "Available data indicate that Eastern merchandise stocks will average probably 10 per cent. greater than a year ago, while those covering the Western section of the country point to stocks being on par, and in some localities slightly lower."

Regarding conditions as they affect various important lines of goods, the report says that the effect of the recently announced prices on percales has been to strengthen the position of wholesalers. In some sections of the country they have not been following the upward movement in the primary market. It is believed that the higher levels now prevailing will help them obtain more representative prices on their present holdings.

Of the cotton yarn situation, the letter says: "The cotton yarn market is clouded by uncertainty and is inactive. The price situation appears uneven, and is more or less complicated by the great difference of opinion between many spinners and buyers as to the actual value of yarns. Most buyers exhibit little disposition to order far in advance of current needs, and the bulk of the business for some weeks is said to have been on a hand-to-mouth basis. Recent price cuts—the first for many weeks—which followed the break in cotton trend, it is said, magnify the condition of stagnation, which lately has been more pronounced, due to unwillingness to contract for immediate deliveries because of the desire to hold inventories to a minimum at this period of the year."

In weaving woolens the letter simply says that the upward tendency of the wool market continues, despite small demand, but finished goods are still offered at approximately the same or slightly higher prices than a year ago.

"Silks," the letter further says in part, "are getting their full share of yardage in the current sale of dress fabrics over the retail counter. Printed novelties have come to the front again and demonstrated to the trade that, if given a fair value and attractive designs, a market is ready for them. The newness and striking character of last Spring's print styles will be missed. However, the public accepted them so freely that it is safe to assume that, if prints are styled correctly for 1924, another good season may be expected. In plain weaves, georgettes and crepes give the greatest promise, along with the best constructions of plain artificials."

BANS TRADE ASSOCIATION.

Judge at Grand Rapids Dissolves Maple Flooring Group.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec.19.—Dissolution of the Maple Flooring Manufacturers' Association was ordered today by Judge C. W. Sessions in United States District Court here. The order was entered upon a motion of the Government, which charged that the association was an unlawful combination, operating in restraint of trade.

Charges that the association maintained a price-fixing arrangement through circulars sent to the trade from its Chicago offices were made by the Government.

The suit involved twenty-one members of the association in Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois and New York.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

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ALLENTOWN, Pa.—Farr Bros.: J. L. Farr, shoes; Imperial.

BALTIMORE—Jos. Grinsfelder & Sons, Inc.: B. R. Reid, silks, cottons, linings; 49 E. 21st St.; Brostell.

BALTIMORE—Silverstein & Schlossberg: J. D. Silverstein, Spring coats, capes, suits, dresses; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.: Miss A. E. Diachinger, corsets; Miss S. Singer, furs; 16 W. 39th.

BALTIMORE—Alamac Garment Co.: Mr. Harris, jobs children's fur-trimmed bolivia coats; 1,261 B'way (Harris & Watnick).

BOSTON—C. F. Hovey Co.: H. Leibes, basement, jobs low end and better coats, women's dresses; 225 5th Av., Room 611.

BOSTON—Superior Co.: Miss P. M. Ginsburg, millinery; Gregorian.

BOSTON—Rivitz Bros.: S. M. Rivitz, men's clothing, women's ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—L. M. Oser, dresses; Breslin.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa—Emporium Cloak & Suit Co.: D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

CHICAGO—Chicago Mercantile Co.: C. A. Stonehill, millinery; 621 B'way, Room 635.

CHICAGO—Harry Shane & Co.: H. Shane, jobs tailor trimmings; 29 W. 25th (Shane & Kane, Inc.).

CINCINNATI—The Fair Store; H. C. Alexander, carpets, linoleums, rugs; 23 E. 26th (W. T. Knott).

CINCINNATI—R. B. Clothing Co.; A. B. Raab, clothing; Pennsylvania.

CLEVELAND—Bailey Co.; B. C. Freeman, undermuslins, girls' dresses; 2-6-7-14; girls' coats, 2-6-7-14; skirts; B. J. Gorney, jobs fur-trimmed sealines, striped marmots, muskrat and opossum coats; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

CLEVELAND—Progress Skirt & Dress Co.: L. Scher, skirt and dress materials; Pennsylvania.

DES MOINES—Emporium Cloak & Suit Co.: D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

DETROIT—Frank & Seder Co.: Miss Ready, jobs swagger coats; 1,372 Broadway (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

DETROIT—Fagan & Keber Co.: S. Finkelhor, jobs high-class coats; 1,372 Broadway (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

DETROIT—Crowley-Milner & Co.: J. D. Low, jobs low-priced silk dresses, basement; 1 W. 34th, Room 1512.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—The Fashion; D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

ESCANABA, Mich.—Emporium Cloak and Suit Co.; D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

EVANSVILLE, Ind.—Philips Mercantile Co.: D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

FORT WAYNE, Ind.—The Fashion Department; D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—The Fashion; Meander; W. P. King, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

INDIANAPOLIS—L. S. Ayres Co.: Mrs. E. J. Rogers, women's, misses' coats, suits; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—David Baird & Son; D. M. Baird, hats; 621 Broadway, Room 541.

MILWAUKEE—Gimbel Bros.: Mercantile Leader; W. P. King, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

MINNEAPOLIS—Whitney, MacGregor Co.: E. Adler, basement ready-to-wear; 432 4th Av. (Dry Goods Union).

MINNEAPOLIS—McDermott, Wilser Co.: B. McDermott, coats, suits, dresses; Imperial.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Cohen's; R. Cohen, jobs furs; Pennsylvania.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Bogatzky Bros. & Co.: D. Bogatzky, men's, boys' clothing; Claridge.

NORWICH, Conn.—Reid & Hughes Co.: W. H. Cruickshank, mdse. manager; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance); Continental.

OMAHA—Burgess-Nash Co.: M. Seitenbach, jobs coats, basement; 200 5th Av.; Room 1214.

OTTUMWA, Iowa—Emporium Cloak & Suit Co.: D. C. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

PEORIA, Ill.—The Fashion Department; D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 W. 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

PHILADELPHIA—Strawbridge & Clothier: M. J. Comerford, muslin underwear, corsets, negligees (basement); 230 5th Av.; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Rosenau Bros.: L. A. Rosenau, dress, waist materials; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; H. Blauner, jobs coats, jacquettes; 120 W. 32d (A. Fant).

PHILADELPHIA—Franklin Sweater Mills; A. I. Lichtenstein, yarns; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—A. H. Krasnof; yarns; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Lerner Bros; S. Myers, J. Rosenthal, Spring jacquettes and flamingo coats, suits; 5 W. 31st, 7th floor.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; H. J. Kamholz, furs; B'way and 32d (New York office).

PHILADELPHIA—Stecher, Inc.: Mrs. Wolf, popular priced new silk dresses; 256 5th Av., Room 709.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; Miss M. McClure, infants' wear; 404 4th Av. (M. L. Heyman).

PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder, Inc.; H. Broida, jobs high-class coats; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder, Inc.; J. T. Simpson, jobs swagger coats; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; I. Marcus, mdse. mgr., basement; 120 W. 32d (A. Fant).

PITTSBURGH—J. Welsberg; A. Welsberg, ladies' sport coats, wraps; 130 W. 32d; Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURGH—Joseph Horne Co.; J. B. Shea, representing; 225 5th Av. (W. W. Aspinwall).

PITTSBURGH — Rosenbaum Co.; B. F. Whitehead, men's clothing; 120 West 32d (A. Fant).

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Stein, Bloch Co.; C. N. Stott, piece goods; 200 5th Av.

SAN FRANCISCO—Andrew A. Jacob & Co.; A. C. Jacob, millinery; 15 West 38th (V. A. Piaut).

SAN FRANCISCO—Danner Bros.; H. L. Danner, furs; 1,161 B'way; Pennsylvania.

SAN FRANCISCO—Lester Levy & Albom; Lester Levy, Frank Brittan, ladies' Spring coats, wraps; 24 West 30th.

SCRANTON, Pa.—Scranton Dry Goods Co.; H. D. Ehglich, cloaks, suits, infants' wear, children's wear; 115 W. 30th (B. F. Lovis).

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—Emporium Cloak & Suit Co.; D. A. Friesen, jobs coats, Spring dresses; 38 West 32d (S. J. Kasindorf).

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio—Reiner's; S. Reiner, jobs cheap cloth, silk dresses; 115 West 30th (B. F. Levis).

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—Shepard-Benning Co.: Mrs. E. C. Shepard, coats, suits, gowns, Biltmore.

ST. LOUIS—Jackman & Sons; P. Jackman, woolens, tailors' trimmings; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—Mandre, Inc.; Mrs. I. A. Spittell, Spring coats, suits; 120 West 32d (A. Fant).

WHEELING, W. Va.—Abercrombie Bros.; C. H. Abercrombie, millinery; Herald Sq.

WILMINGTON, Del.—Gluck Bros. & Gross; C. Topkis, ready-to-wear, millinery; 1,261 B'way (S. Solomon).

YORK, Pa.—Chas. H. Bear & Co.; C. H. Bear, gen. mdse.; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

BUSINESS NOTES.

Leon Wormser, a member of the firm of A. Sulka & Co. and in charge of the Sulka shop in Paris, arrived yesterday on the Berengaria for a short visit to this city. He is well-known to the trade on both sides of the Atlantic, and the chief reason for his visit is to go over the final plans for the Sulka London shop, which is to be opened at 27 Old Bond Street as soon as alterations are completed.

A testimonial dinner and dance will be given by the employes of Schwartz, Dragutsky & Co. at the Royal, 85 East Fourth Street, on Dec. 27, at 8:30 P. M.

Joseph E. Josephs, after nineteen years' association with Brill & Kriegsman, manufacturers of waists, will be connected after Dec. 24 with Alfred Stern & Co., makers of blouses and dresses, 30 East Thirty-third Street.

A. L. Lanman, who until Oct. 1 was with A. C. Barrow & Co., will take charge of sales after Jan. 1 for the Kegan-Grace Company, manufacturers of overalls and work shirts, Baltimore, Md.

A fashion ball and manikin contest will be held on Jan. 12 at the Hotel Savoy under the auspices of the Cloak and Suit Designers' Association. A number of leading model houses will participate in the affair, and cash prizes will be awarded the winning manikins

BUSINESS RECORDS

BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS.

Petitions Filed—Against

WOLTERS ART PRINTING CO., INC., 80 Fourth Avenue, by Chas. H. Rackle, Inc., for $54; Dorothy Resnikoff, $56; John Reiner, $500. Liabilities, about $18,000; assets, about $4,000.

THE NEW YORK SWISS EMBROIDERY WORKS, INC., 245 Canal Street, by Rosenblatt Bros., on claim of $500.

LOUIS STOKKEL, doing business as N. Y. Swiss Embroidery Works, 245 Canal Street, by Herman F. Simons, doing business as Atlas Mfg. Co., $207; Logan Textile Co., $100; Rubin Pub. Spool Cotton Co., $85.

KRUEGER BROS., shoes, 135 Clinton Street, by the Refined Shoe Co., for $300; Majestic Novelty Shoe Co., $200; Hoffman-Linn, Inc., $300.

MAX FRANK, clothing, 4 Washington Place, by William Farley for $261; William Bednoff, $281; A. O'Neil, $49. Joseph T. Stearns was appointed receiver, under $1,000 bond, by Judge Knox. Liabilities, about $9,000; assets, about $2,500.

Petitions Filed—By

DRUCKER & LEBON, 10 Second Avenue—Liabilities, $2,009; assets, $1,300. The members of the firm are William Drucker and Max Lebon.

GIUSEPPE VETTORINO, mason, 458 High Street, Mount Vernon—Liabilities, $4,784; assets, $945.

CHARLES H. KIENLE, salesman, Sixth Street, Bayside, L. I.—Liabilities, $4,601; assets, $2,790.

Receivers Appointed.

BEST SERVICE PRINTING CO., INC., 470 Eighth Avenue—Julian Hartridge appointed, under $1,000 bond, by Judge Knox.

M. NEWMAN & SON, manufacturers of handkerchiefs, 236-244 Eldridge Street—606 Fifth Street; Kenneth L. Simon, bond, by Judge Knox.

DAVIS LEVY, INC., 495 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn—Judge Garvin has appointed Fred M. Ahern, in bond of $250.

PETERS SHOE CO., retail shoes, 276 Canal Street, Manhattan—Judge Garvin has appointed Louis De Wolff ancillary receiver, in bond of $1,000.

Schedules Filed.

HIRSCH, TABOR & HIRSCH, dresses, 57 West Twenty-sixth Street—Liabilities $50,826, assets $17,925, main items being stock $9,500, accounts $5,000, merchandise in possession of contractors $3,050. Principal creditors are Chase National Bank $11,000, John Mendiolitta & Co. $5,240 secured, Louis Siegbert & Bro. $3,000, Max Weil & Co. $2,007.

COLUMBIA LITHOGRAPHING COMPANY, INC., 405 Broome Street—Liabilities $15,570, assets $15,147, main item being machinery and fixtures $12,315. Principal creditors are Weinstein Machinery Company $4,423 secured, John Walz $2,049, Hadding Chemical Works $1,060.

Composition Confirmed.

GLUCK & TEPPERMAN, manufacturers of fur garments, 291 Seventh Avenue, 20 per cent.

Bankruptcy Discharges.

Wallace Munro, publicity agent, 10 West Sixty-first Street; Lefley Strauss, salesman, 654 West 146th Street; Kenneth I. Simon, salesman, 859 Seventh Avenue; Arnold Degner, delicatessen, 530 Seventh Avenue; Louis Ringler, grocery and dairy products, 266 East Fordham Road; Israel Harry Schultz, butcher, 2,952 Eighth Avenue; Louis K. Young, 1,324 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, who formerly conducted a bakery at 259 West Fourth Street; Aaron Chaftin, employe, 562 West 191st Street; Carmelo Cannizzaro, peddler, 202 Elizabeth Street; Benjamin and Emil Rosenberg, composing the firm of Rosenberg Bros., tinsel, 54 Great Jones Street; Solomon Greenfield, shoes, 946 Freeman Street; Isaac Brittain, grocer, 2,112 Southern Boulevard; Louis Bricker and Joseph Dolinsky, composing the firm of Bricker & Dolinsky, paper boxes, 407 Broome Street; Morris Goldberg, furniture, 1,983 Third Avenue; Louis Ozhora, dresses, 623 Eighth Avenue; Philip Weinberg, cloaks and suits, 206 East Houston Street; Sam and Julius Gershenson, doing business as Gershenson & Son, 477 Broome Street.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The Cushina Shoe Company of Lynn, Mass., has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of approximately $171,354, the aggregate of both liabilities and assets being described as uncertain. The secured claims amount to $56,000, the New England Guaranty Company, 209 Washington Street, Boston, being the only creditor thus protected through an assignment of accounts receivable. Unsecured claims amount to $121,354, distributed among about 190 creditors. Assets are scheduled at $98,900, the principal item including $70,000 for insurance policies, other assets are machinery and tools valued at $20,000; stock in trade, $5,000, and cash, $3,900.

Charles G. Demeter, hotel keeper, Brockton, Mass., has also filed a petition. He owes $87,453, of which amount $16,000 is assumed to be about eighty-five creditors. Assets are $24,905, represented chiefly in machinery and tools.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—A petition in bankruptcy was filed today against the Economy Life Agency Company, 431 South Dearborn Street, with liabilities of $18,870, and assets not shown.

Special to The New York Times.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 19.—The Standard Metals Refining Company went into the hands of a receiver this morning when Judge Lann J. Care, in St. Joseph Superior Court, appointed Thad M. Talcott, Jr. to take over the plant at Mishawaka. The complaint stated that the Standard Company has $66,000 liabilities and $12,000 assets.

JUDGMENTS.

Filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

Arkin, Julian R. (Jay Blouse Co.)—Garfield National Bank, Inc. $524.10
Addelson Export Co., Inc.—Sonn Bros. Import and Export Co. of N. Y. $2,036.78
American Fuel Oil & Transportation Co., Inc.—Atlantic Refining Co. $85.08
Berkoor, Harry—Cosmopolitan Bank. $116.80
Blue Ribbon Taxi Corp.—Murphy & Diamond, Inc. $7,300.01
Brinckerhoff, Hazel—Harrington, Inc. $1,000.50
Bachrach, Joseph and Leonard (Joseph Bachrach & Son)—Tilton & Keller, Inc., 1923 ..... $575.31
Brumberg, Zelton C.—J. N. Elsen et al. $771.56
Crossman, Francis M.—H. L. Randal $4,632.19
Channing Iron & Steel Co., Inc.—F. Clarke $545.10
Cooperstein, Joseph, admr.—Eden Brick & Supply Co., costs. $324.42
Caucci, Bernardino—Butler Bros. $884.62
Donohue, Geo. J.—Stadler & Stadler, Inc. $117.45
De Lacio, Pasquale—National Surety Co., 1919 ..... $119.60
Diamond, Samuel—S. Lemelin $333.40
De Frentz, Lena W.—Title Guarantee & Trust Co. $480.28
Dahlman, Albert (Dahlman Co.)—Wilkinson & Wilkinson, Inc. $147.38
Edirose Silk Mfg. Co.—Morinlaura Aral & Co. $15,504.59
Falkenstein, Bert H.—American Optical Co. $231.95
Finkelstein, Morris F. and M. M. F. Finkelstein, Inc.—L. Lapow $7,682.88
Ferrari, Rita, by gd.—G. S. Green Co., Inc. $110.55
Gosfield, Samuel, Samuel Cohen and Rudolph Gosfield (Gosfield, Cohen & Rudolph)—N. Cohen $111.20
Goldenhorn, I. Farie—National Surety Co. $719.00
Goldfuss, John G.—Nason Mfg. Co. $1,805.17
Hand Made Mattress Corp. and Bertha Schelsen-Public Nat. Bank of N. Y. $144.65
Hudson Valley Portland Cement Corp.—Scottish Union and Nat. Ins. Co. $155.09
Hillok Amusement Co., Inc.—Wallok Co., Inc. $1,197.50
Isaacs, Moe A.—Garland Realty Co. $3,725.19
Johnson, Phillip C.; Chas. T. Griffin and Carl A. Adolphson (Griffin, Johnson & Co.)—Butler Bros. $115.30
J. Cantor Printing Co., Inc.—L. A. Duffy $317.80
Jacobson, Seymour—B. Jackson $2,441.20
Kannesohn Holding Corp. and Harry A. Kannesohn—J. Taub $554.02
Same—A. P. Thill $370.08
Same—M. Glich $189.65
Lopinto, Charles—H. Tolk $329.52
Lowry, Dan—Nat. Surety Co. $174.50
Lewis, Bertha M.—Lord & Taylor $265.30
Lopez, Pedro G.—Burns Bros. $276.77
Liberty Lining Co., Inc.—Canter-Greenman Co., Inc. $1,188.41
Maratsky, Louis—Aisenstein, Woronock & Sons, Inc. $438.96
Mintz, William, and Harry J. Nierenberg—Financial Guide, Inc. $767.73
Mayer, Juan R.—Elkington & Co., Inc. $2,949.88
Miller, Max and Minnie—L. Rosenbluth $135.35
Madaline Realty Corp.—J. Kadel $131.75
Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y.—A. H. P. Seeger $321.85
Marcus, Jack and Sam—M. Schmuckler $25,066.55
Same—D. Schmuckler $3,095.55
Murdoch, Chas. A.—T. Remitz $1,542.44
N. Y. Title and Mortgage Co.—Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; costs. $547.20
Opera Garage, Inc.—Standard Oil Co. of N. Y. $1,470.12
Phillips, David E. (Phillips Reliable Trunk Store)—Metropolitan Suit Case Co., Inc. $135.12
Pearl Garage, Inc.—Standard Oil Co. of N. Y. $1,542.44
Queen, Shield & Rubber Co., Inc.—Ideal Waterproof Fabric Co., Inc. $185.12
Roman Wet Wash Laundry, Inc.—H. Brasher, Inc. $402.39
Rothenberg Gruller Bakery, Inc.—J. M. Lipset $375.36
Rubin, Julius E.—H. K. Atwell $1,419.95
Seidler, Chaim and Jacob Leiban (Seidler & Leban), and Samuel W. Sherman—M. Davidson $116.64
Stark, Samuel—Stark Corp. $114.25
Susskind, Harry J. and Chas. H. Groll—A. Silz, Inc. $221.90
Stransky, John—J. Sansville et al. $248.12
Thomas, David—Dykes Lumber Co. $368.95
Union Ry. Co. of N. Y. City—L. Young, 1920 ..... $346.15
Vanderbilt, Gertrude—Ntl. Surety Co. $481.69
Weintraub, William (Pose Dell Co.)—A. A. Gerling $196.94
Zamsky, Harry S.—H. B. Lichtenstein et al. $368.09

In Bronx County.

Andrews Avenue Realty Corp.—G. C. Wheeler, Inc. $1,000.00
Barbour, Harry—Cosmopolitan Bank. $116.00
Calangos, Costas, Andrew Hangos and John Rorce—H. Carey $266.20
Moore, William R.—H. G. Silleck, Jr. $50.26
Schaffer, Samuel—G. F. Hemrick, Inc. $160.54
Sitt, Ephraim—J. A. Cohen $120.70
Tanenbaum, Samuel and Beatrice—M. Solomon $26.66

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor; the second that of the creditor and date when judgment was filed:

In New York County.

Sabatjian, Nevart—A. E. Heintzeler, Nov. 17, 1923 ..... $191.58
Hamerroff, Harry—Fells, Lent & Cantor, Inc., Oct. 16, 1923 ..... $248.71
Benjamin, Roselin G., et al.—Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Inc., May 11, 1923 ..... $147.16
132 Nassau St. Corp., Inc.—Imperial Insurance Co., Inc., Nov. 10, 1923 ..... $318.06
Brooks, Tyler—A. L. Libman, Oct. 10, 1923 ..... $20.00
Altman, Morris, et al.—Morris Plan Co. of N. Y., July 14, 1922 ..... $219.30
Noble, Paul—R. Blando, Aug. 10, 1921 ..... $265.45
Sane, Jacob—Lindauer, March 2, 1923 ..... $106.43
Same—H. Birmstengel, Aug. 12, 1921 ..... $146.88
Wanderer, Jennie—H. Friedman, March 3, 1915, canceled $225.17
Brownies, The—Herrick — Barrington Corp., Oct. 10, 1922 ..... $4,553.19
Wanderer, Jennie—H. Friedman, March 3, 1915, canceled $541.40
Terry, Philip et al.—I. Ruch, March 19, 1920 ..... $1,279.90
Sheller, Samuel—M. Rassler, Jan. 22, 1923 ..... $546.15
Banca Commercial Italiana—P. G. Manghi, Dec. 16, 1922 ..... $7,349.24
Finkelstein, Louis O.—M. Rassler, March 21, 1923 ..... $571.65
Kranin, Julius—I. Sachs, Jan. 22, 1922, canceled $565.86
Birnbaum, Sam—Chas. Lyons Co., Inc., Mar. 21, 1923 ..... $6,068.69
Schmiedekamp, Annie H.—Lion Brewery of New York City, July 13, 1917 ..... $8,213.14
Heller, Wm. F.—L. Lemle, Aug. 29, 1923 ..... $1,095.95
Periberg, Harry et al.—J. A. Riley et al., Dec. 12, 1923 ..... $8,247.69
Electrical Repair Co., Inc.—T. McElrath, Dec. 10, 1923 ..... $1,623.76
Seely, Henry N., et al.—C. Myerat, Feb. 19, 1923 ..... $3,582.36
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd., of London—I. Cox, Mar. 14, 1923 ..... $3,272.97
Polhemus, Arthur W.—T. Riehle et al., Nov. 19, 1923 ..... $785.55
Austin, Osias—R. Miron et al., Nov. 19, 1923 ..... $120.85
Cassentino, Frank—Eagle Shoe Machinery Co., Oct. 30, 1923 ..... $244.20
Sullivan, James H.—N. Callo, Sept. 28, 1923 ..... $105.45
Same—Same, Aug. 18, 1923 ..... $100.35

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Filed yesterday:

In New York County.

FT. CHARLES PL. 21; Louis Frasin against Mary J. McKenna and Sibelle Cummings, owners; William Anderson, contractor $305.00

BROADWAY, 2,054; Frank Morell Co. Inc., against Alamac Hotel Co., Inc., owner and contractor; George Doss Engineering Co., Inc., contractor $15,123.93

WADSWORTH AV, 269; Paul Geloq et al. against Anthony and Sadie A. Giasondi, owners and contractors $2,866.00

SAME PROPERTY; Isaac Schiff against Anthony and Sadie A. Giasondi, owners; Jacob Reasiner, Paul Golesod and Circle Contracting Co., contractors $102.00

112TH ST. 9 AND 11 EAST; Hyman Wetthorn against Helen C. Stoff, owner and contractor; renewal $31.59

SAME PROPERTY; same against same (renewal) $33.75

75TH ST, 283 EAST; John Zentek against Otto A. Northe, owner and contractor $170.00

SAME PROPERTY; Gustave G. Gaertner against same $320.85

MADISON AV, 667; W. M. Ritter Flooring Corp. against Silvestra Haberman et al., owners; Dahiman Co., contractor $170.87

THOMAS ST, 14 AND 16; Elevator Repair & Supply Corp. against Live Wire Realty Corp., owner; Benjamin Block, contractor $300.00

FIRST AV, 405; Benjamin Wertzmann against Bakewell Bakery Inc., owner; L. Crystal, contractor $423.00

WEST ST, 10 WEST—Louis Greenberg & Plumbing Supplies Inc. against Patrick H. McGrath, owner; Samuel Rosansky, contractor $476.10

In Bronx County.

WATERBURY AV, 2,809; Rocco Rebuzio against Louis Quattocmani, owner; Lockwood Bldg. Co., contractor $2,500.00

HOME ST, 921-922-925; Horman Storck against Triple Bld. Corp., owners; Isidor Fuchs, contractor $417.75

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

In New York County.

67TH ST, 240 West; Harry Ginsburg against David Israel et al, Nov. 23, 1923 ..... $219.50

80TH ST, 19 and 21 East; Morris Jacobs et al against Horace S. Ely et al, Jan. 29, 1923 (canceled) $75.15

SAME PROPERTY; Dunbak Box and Lumber Co. against estate of Fanny R. G. Ely et al, Feb. 28, 1923 (canceled) $630.70

8TH AV, 723 to 724; Kali Lumber Co. against Amalama Realty Corp. et al, Nov. 12, 1923 (by bond) $649.06

97TH AV, s w corner of 97th St; Kahn Specialty Co. against same, Nov. 22, 1923 (by bond) $96.38

In Bronx County.

DODDINGTON AV, 2 n s, 154.7 ft e of Tremont Av, 25x95.6; Harman Grandes against Maria A. Risco et al, Dec. 5, 1923 ..... $1,065.00

188TH ST, n w corner of Webster Av, 100x100; Louis Neuburger et al against O K Bldg. Corp., et al, Dec. 5, 1923 ..... $3,750.00

BAINBRIDGE AV, s e corner of 196th St, 100x125; John McCarthy against Mariotta Realty and Const. Corp. et al, Nov. 21, 1923 ..... $1,100.00

CRUGER AV, w s, 378 ft s of Arnow Av, 100x175; Filippo Scaglione against Cruger Const. Co. et al, Nov. 3, 1923 ..... $1,500.00

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Recovery in Many Stocks, Changes Irregular—Further Decline in European Exchange.

In the somewhat confused movement of yesterday's various markets, the continued decline in European exchange rates would have been the more striking incident of the day if the reason for it had been evident. But exchange dealers were this time as much puzzled as the ordinary man in the street. Their inability to discover obvious causes was shown by the suggestion that the fall in the franc, which passed the year's previous low price and went to the lowest since the war, may have reflected misgiving over the rumored proposals for funding the French war debt to our Treasury and beginning interest payments. It will hardly be supposed, however, that so very tentative a discussion would have provoked yesterday's unmistakable weakness in sterling, lire and francs alike. In the case of the franc, it is more probable that the formal waiving of the set amount for annual repayment by the French State to the bank has attracted speculative selling. But this is still conjecture.

Stock market transactions ran beyond a million shares for the fifth consecutive full business day, but the movement of prices was extremely irregular. Perhaps the greater part of the market changed only fractionally; but nearly all stocks swung alternately down and up and, although a handful of shares lost a point or more in the end, the larger changes were mostly advances in the industrials. It was, however, an exceedingly professional market, and as a whole its movement was of slight significance.

Following the earlier estimates of the value of our harvests in 1923 and of the world's total production of wheat, the Department of Agriculture yesterday gave out another statement with equally pointed bearing on the wheat situation. It showed that our farmers have planted to Winter wheat this season 5,755,000 acres less than a year ago, a decrease of 13¼ per cent. The acreage planted is the smallest since that reported in the December estimate of 1913, which it exceeds by barely 8 per cent.

There can be no doubt as to what this heavy reduction means; the American farmer, recognizing at last the position of wheat in the world-market, has made up his mind to diversify his crops. It is a welcome sign that the traditions, carried over from the period of war-time "guaranteed prices" and from the even more distant period of "bumper American wheat crops" in years of European shortage, have been replaced by sober adapting of his productive energies to the crops that command the present market.

In a sense, it may be said that the wheat farmer has followed the example set in 1921 by the cotton planter, whose reduction of more than one-third in that year's acreage, as compared with the years before, was the prelude to the extraordinary situation now existing in the cotton market. But the sequel in wheat can hardly be the same; for American cotton has very limited competition in the rest of the world, whereas practically every country competes with wheat. This is not the first reduction of Winter-wheat plantings during the past few years. The area was cut down 17 per cent. in the Winter of 1919, when withdrawal of the Government guarantee was impending; but acreage was enlarged again nearly 8 per cent. in the Winter of 1920, when wheat had been rushing up in price along with everything else. Even in the Autumn of 1915, after the previous season's billion-bushel crop had forced down prices from $1.68 per bushel to less than a dollar, acreage was reduced; but short crops in the next two years, along with our own participation in the war and our Government's guarantee of a $2.26 minimum price, brought about the unprecedented planting of 1918. None of these influences is likely to recur.

MONEY.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19, 1923.

Stock Exchange call money easy, rate declining to 4½ per cent. in late afternoon, from opening and renewal at 5%. There was but moderate turnover, however, only light inquiry for funds being reported. Time money market was dull, with all maturities quoted at 5 per cent. Commercial paper and acceptances ruled quiet and without change in discount.

Call Loans.

Renewals.	High.	Low.	Last.	Tuesday's Last.
4½	4½	4½	4½	4½

Time Loans.

Mixed collateral, 60-90 days 5
4, 5 and 6 months 5
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days 5
4, 5 and 6 months 5

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 4 to 6 months ..... 4½@5
Other names, 4 to 6 months ..... 4½@5

Rediscount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank

Commercial paper, 15 days, 4½; 60 to 90 days 4½

Liberty bonds, Victory notes and Treasury certificates of indebtedness, 15 days, 4½; 60 to 90 days 4½

Bankers' Acceptances.

Call loans against acceptances 4½
Prime bankers' acceptances, eligible for purchase or rediscount by Federal Reserve Banks. Rates quoted are for discount at purchase:

	Bid.	Asked.
30 days	4¼	4
60 days	4¼	4½
90 days	4¼	4½
Four months	4¼	4½
Six months	4¼	4½
Non-member and private bankers, 60-90 days	4½	4¾

London Market.

Money in London unchanged at 1½ per cent.; short bills unchanged at 3¼ per cent.; three months' bills ⅛@¼ higher at 3⅛@3⅜ per cent.

Gold bullion unchanged at 94s 4d per fine ounce. Taking the British Mint standard price of 85s per fine ounce as par, the market quotation of gold would represent a price of 111 at London. On the same basis the highest London price for gold for the year to date was 114, on Nov. 19. The highest price since open trading in gold was resumed at London in September, 1919, was 149¾, on Feb. 6, 1920; the lowest 105¾, on Feb. 21, 1923. Highest price last year, 126, on Jan. 3.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $768,000,000; balances, $63,000,000; Federal Reserve credit balance, $71,000,000; exchanges this day a year ago, $757,000,000.

SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London ¼d lower at 39⅝d per ounce; New York price 1c lower at 68¾c.

Range for 1923:

	Highest.	Lowest.
London	39¼d Dec. 18	30¼d Feb. 3
New York	69½c Mar. 27	62½c July 30

Range for 1922:

London	37⅝d May 22	30¼d Dec. 18
New York	70⅛c May 23	57½c Dec. 21

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1923.

Day's Sales.	Tuesday.	Monday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
1,008,632	1,190,775	1,125,831	628,470	694,380

Year to Date.	Same Period 1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
229,501,350	254,408,036	166,648,820½	219,176,878½	306,924,447

1923 High.	1923 Low.	Sales.	Stock and Dividend Rate.	First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.
11½	6½	100	Advance Rumely	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ¼	7¾	8¾
34½	24	100	Advance Rumely pf. (8)	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ¼	30	32½
14⅝	4½	200	Ajax Rubber	6	6	6	6		5⅝	6
1	⅛	100	Alaska Gold Mines	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛			
1	⅛	1,100	Alaska Juneau	1	1	1	1		1	1⅛
80	59¾	2,100	Allied Chem. & Dye (4)	67¾	69	67¾	69	+ ½	69¾	70
113	105½	600	Allied Chem. & Dye pf. (7)	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾	+ ¼	109¾	110¼
51¾	37⅝	100	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. (4)	44	44	44	44	— ½	43½	44¾
97¾	81	100	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. pf. (7)	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝	— ⅛	90	91⅝
36⅞	18¾	400	Am. Agricultural Chemical	12	12	11⅝	12		11⅝	12
48¾	28¼	200	Am. Agricultural Chem. pf.	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	— ⅛	37½	38¼
48¼	25	800	Am. Beet Sugar	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ¼	41¼	42
80	23¾	600	Am. Bosch Magneto	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24	25¼
107¾	75¾	25,400	Am. Can (6)	104¾	105¾	103¾	105¼	+ 1¼	104¼	104⅝
115	106	600	Am. Can pf. (7)	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	— ¼	108½	109
168	148¾	600	Am. Car & Foundry (12)	161	161	160¾	160¾	— ¼	161	161½
125⅝	117	100	Am. Car & Fdy. pf. (7)	119	119	119	119	— 1½	118½	121
25½	20¾	800	Am. Chain, Class A (2)	23	24	23	23¾	— ¼	22½	23½
17¾	5¾	100	Am. Chicle	15	15	15	15		15	16
29¾	14	100	Am. Cotton Oil	9	9	9	9	— ¼	8½	9
29½	25¾	800	Am. Cotton Oil pf.	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¼	+ ¼	26½	27
74	44	100	Am. Druggist Syndicate	54	54	54	54	+ ½	54	54½
148½	87	400	Am. Express (6)	89	90	89	90	— ½	88½	89
96¼	90	800	Am. & Foreign Power cfs. 50% paid, w. i.	94	95¾	94	95¾			
74⅜	39¾	800	Am. Hide & Leather pf.	41¾	42¾	41¼	42¾	+ ¾	42¾	43
111½	75	500	Am. Ice (7)	86½	87	86½	87	+ ¼	86½	87¼
33½	16	3,100	Am. International	21¾	22¼	21¼	21¾	+ ¼	21⅜	21¾
12	10¾	100	Am. LaF. Fire Engine (1)	11	11	11	11		10¾	11½
38	13	600	Am. Linseed	17	17	17	17		16¾	17½
73¼	34¾	4,700	Am. Locomotive (6)	71¼	73¼	71¾	72¾	+ 1¾	72¾	73
122	114½	100	Am. Locomotive pf. (7)	115½	115½	115½	115½	— ½	114	116
58¾	40¾	400	Am. Metal (3)	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾		42¾	43
117	106	100	Am. Metal pf. (7)	109	109	109	109		107	112
31½	16¾	7,300	Am. Ship & Commerce	11	11	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛	10½	10⅝
82¾	51¾	2,900	Am. Smelt. & Refining (5)	52⅝	53¼	52⅝	53¼	+ ¼	52¾	53
139	123¾	1,100	Am. Snuff (14)	136¾	136¾	136¾	136¾	— 2¼	136	137¾
40¾	31¾	1,300	Am. Steel Foundries (3)	36¾	37	36¾	36¾	— ¼	36½	37
85	48	1,500	Am. Sugar Refining	56¾	57½	56¾	57	+ ¾	56¾	57
106¾	94	200	Am. Sugar Refining pf. (7)	95	95¾	95	95¾		95	96
30½	16	400	Am. Sumatra Tobacco	19½	19½	19	19		18¾	19¼
55¾	40	200	Am. Tel. & Cable (5)	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ¼	40	40¾
128¾	119¾	1,600	Am. Tel. & Tel. (9)	127	127¾	127	127¼	— ¼	127¼	127¾
159¾	140	100	Am. Tobacco, Class B (12)	146¾	146¾	146¾	146¾	— ¾	146¾	148
106½	100¾	500	Am. Tobacco pf. (6)	100¾	101½	100¾	101¼	— ¼	100	101¾
64	48½	100	Am. W.W. & E. part. pf. (4)	62	62	62	62		61	62
111¾	96¾	5,100	Am. Woolen (7)	70¾	72¾	70¾	71⅝	+ ⅝	71½	71¾
84	71	100	Am. Woolen pf. (7)	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	— ¾	90	100
119¼	96¾	600	Am. Writing Paper pf.	2	2	1¾	1¾	— ¼	1¾	2
14⅝	6	100	Am. Zinc & Sm. (6)	6	6	6	6		6	6½
63¼	22¾	2,200	Anaconda Copper (3)	37¾	37¾	36¾	37¼	— ¼	36¾	36¾
94½	88¾	200	Armour & Co. pf. Del. (7)	92	92½	92	92½	— ¼	92	93
18¾	10¾	300	Arnold, Constable & Co.	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾		13	13¾
1	¾	300	Assets Realization							
82¾	62¾	200	Associated Dry Goods (4)	79¾	80¾	79¾	80¾	+ ¾	80	81
89	82	600	Assoc. Dry Goods 1st pf. (6)	84¾	85	84¾	85		85	87
99¾	94	200	Assoc. D. Goods 2d pf. (7)	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾		96	98
29½	26¾	600	Associated Oil (1½)	27¾	28	27¾	28		27¾	28
105¾	94	2,300	Atch., Top. & Santa Fe (9)	95¾	96¼	95	95¾	— ¼	95¾	96
80¾	69¾	600	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf. (5)	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	— ¼	87½	88
13¾	8	200	Atlantic Coast Line	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ¼	11¾	11¾
127	110¾	500	Atlantic Coast Line (7)	116¼	116¼	116¼	116¼	— ¼	116¼	117
1¾	¾	1,400	Atlantic Fruit	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼		1¼	1¾
2¾	1¾	200	Atlantic Fruit stfs.	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾		1¾	2
84	64	400	Atlantic Gulf & W. Indies	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛	15⅞	16
84	64	315	Atlantic Gulf & W. pf.	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	— ⅛	15	15¼
160	99¾	800	Atlantic Refining (4)	125¾	128¾	125	128	+ ¾	124	126
20¾	9¾	500	Atlas Tack	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾		9¾	9¾
35¾	17	400	Austin Nichols	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24¾	25¾
88½	78¾	400	Austin Nichols pf. (7)	82	82	82	82	— 1	82	82½
29¾	7¾	1,400	Auto Knitter Hosiery (3)	9	9	8¾	8¾	— ¼	8	8¼
3¾	2¾	100	Auto Sales	3	3	3	3		3	3¼
14½	11	100	Auto Sales pf.	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ¼	11	13
144¾	110¾	18,700	Baldwin Locomotive (7)	122	124¾	122¼	123¾	— ¾	123¼	123¾
60¾	46¾	5,400	Baltimore & Ohio (5)	57⅛	58⅞	57⅝	57¾	— ¼	57⅜	58
60¾	55¾	100	Baltimore & Ohio pf. (4)	57	57	57	57	— ¼	56¾	57¾
94	84	100	Bangor & Aroostook pf. (7)	84	84	84	84			85
25	21	200	Barnet Leather pf.	21	21	21	21	— 2	20¾	25
16¾	9¾	400	Barnsdall Class A	15¾	15⅝	15½	15¾		15½	15½
10	9	700	Barnsdall Class B	10	10	9¾	10	— ⅛	9¾	10
66¾	56¾	100	Bayuk Cigars	56¾	56¾	56½	56¾	— ¼	55¾	56
83¾	53¾	5,200	Beech Nut Packing (2.40)	51⅝	53¾	51	53¾	+ 2¼	51½	53¾
118¾	81¾	4,200	Bethlehem Steel (5)	91½	93¾	91½	93¾	+ 2¼	91½	93¾
97¾	67	900	Bethlehem Steel pf. (7)	90¾	91¾	90¾	91¾		90¾	91
7¾	3¾	100	Booth Fisheries	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾		4¾	5
131½	104¾	200	Bklyn. Edison Electric (8)	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	— ¼	106	106¾
124¾	94¾	1,300	Bklyn. Manhat. Transit	12¾	13¾	12¾	13¼	+ ¼	13	13¼
49	31¾	1,400	Bklyn. Manhat. Tran. pf.	42¾	43¾	42¾	43¾	+ ¾	43	43½
85	61	100	Buff., Roch. & Pitts.	83	83	83	83		82	85
43	21¾	100	Burns Bros. Class B (2)	23¼	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ¼	23	23½
11¾	4½	500	Butte Cop. & Zinc (50c)	5	5⅛	5	5⅛	— ⅛	5	5⅛
57½	12¾	300	Butte & Superior	14¾	14¾	14¼	14¼	— ½	14¼	15¼
2¾	1¾	400	Caddo Cent. O. & R.	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼		2¼	2¾
87	77	100	California Packing (6)	81	81	81	81		79½	81½
23¾	17¾	12,500	California Pet. (1¾)	24¾	25¼	24¼	24¾	— ¼	24¾	25
110¾	90¾	700	California Pet. pf. (7)	98	99	98	99	— ¼	98	99
12¾	3¾	400	Callahan Zinc Lead	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼		4¼	4¾
20¾	17¾	100	Calumet & Hecla (50c)	19½	19½	19½	19½	— ¼	18¾	19¼
160	130¾	900	Canadian Pacific (10)	145¾	147¾	144¾	144¾	— 1¾	144½	145¼
11	6¾	5,100	Central Leather Co.	10¾	11	10¾	10¾	— ¼	10¾	10¾
84¾	74¾	3,600	Central Leather pf.	81¾	83¼	81¾	82½	+ ¼	82	82½
50¾	26¾	4,200	Cerro de Pasco Copper (4)	44¾	46¼	44¾	46	— ¼	45¾	46
76	73	4,400	Chandler Motor (5)	62	64	62	63		63	63½
76¾	57	2,000	Chesapeake & Ohio (4)	70	70¾	69¾	70¾	— ¼	70	70¾
104½	96	100	Ches. & Ohio pf. (6½)	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾		98¼	99
4¾	2	900	Chicago & Alton	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛	3¾	3¾
12¾	8¾	300	Chicago & Alton pf.	10	10¼	10	10	— ¼	9¾	10
38¾	10¾	1,700	Chicago & East. Illinois	26¼	26¼	25¾	26	— ¼	26	26¼
68¾	46¾	100	Chicago & E. Illinois pf.	49	49	49	49	— 1	48	50
		700	Chicago Great Western	4¼	4¼	4	4		4	4¼
		800	Chicago Gt. Western pf.	10	10	10	10	— ¼	10	10½
2,500	1¾	2,500	Chicago Mil. & St. Paul	12	12¼	11¾	11¾	— ¼	11¾	11¾
5,100	21¾	5,100	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul pf.	21	21¾	20¾	21¾	— ¼	21¾	21¾
3,200	50¾	3,200	Chicago & Northwest	50¾	50¾	50	50¾		50¾	51
		100	Chicago & Northw. pf. (7)	101	101	101	101	3	101¾	104
2,800	20¾	2,800	Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	20¾	22	20¾	22	+ 1¾	21¾	21¾
		200	Chi., R. I. & Pac. pf. (6)	86	86	86	86	— ½	86¼	87
		300	Chi., St. P., Minn. & Oma.	31¾	32¼	31¾	32¼	+ ¼	32	32¾
		700	Chile Copper (2½)	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ¼	27¾	27¾
2,300	17¾		Chino Copper	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ¼	17¾	17¾
		200	Cluett, Peabody (5)	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾	— ¼	68¾	69
		200	Colorado Fuel & Iron	22¾	23	22¾	22¾		22¾	23
		200	Colorado Southern	17¾	18	17¾	18	— ¼	17¾	18
		700	Colum. Gas & Elec. (2.60)	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾		33¾	33¾
2,200	37¾	800	Columbian Carbon (4)	45	45	45	45	— ½	44¾	45¾
		200	Commercial Solvents A	40¾	41¾	40¾	41¾	— ¼	40	42
		4,000	Comp. Tab. Record. (6)	86	86¾	85¾	86¾	— ¼	85¾	86¾
		700	Congoleum Co. (10)	179¾	179¾	175	178	— 1¾	176	178
		100	Conley Tin Foil	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾		11¾	12
		100	Consolidated Cigar	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾		16	16¾
3,700	57¾	3,700	Consolidated Gas (8)	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾		57¾	57¾
		800	Consolidated Textile	6¾	6¾	6	6		6	6¾
13,100	53¾	13,100	Continental Can (4)	53¾	54	53¾	53¾	— ¼	53¾	53¾
		300	Continental Motors	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾		6¾	6¾
8,000	151¾	8,000	Corn Products Ref. (16¾)	153	153¾	151¾	152	— ¾	152	152¾
14,700	34¾	14,700	Coseden Co.	34¾	34¾	33¾	34½	— ¼	34½	34¾
		2,900	Crucible Steel (4)	64¾	65¾	64¾	65¾	+ ¾	65	65¾
		100	Crucible Steel pf. (7)	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾		90¾	90¾
		2,600	Cuba Cane Sugar	13¾	14¾	13¾	14¾	+ ¾	14¾	14¾
21,600	61¾	5,000	Cuba Cane Sugar pf.	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	— ¼	61¾	62
		5,700	Cuban Amer. Sugar (3)	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	— ¼	33¾	33¾
		300	Cuban Amer. Sug. pf. (7)	97	97	96	96	— 1	96	97
		300	Cuban Dominican Sugar	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾		6¾	7
		6,300	Cuyamel Fruit (4)	69	71½	69	69¾	— 1¾	69	70
24,500	73¾	24,500	Davison Chemical	76	78	74¼	74¾	— 1¾	74¾	75
		100	Deere & Co. pf. (3)	61	61	61	61		60	61
		300	Delaware & Hudson (9)	106¼	106½	106¼	106½	— ¼	106½	107
5,100	110¾	5,100	Del., Lack. & Western (6)	111¾	112	110¾	111¾	— ¼	111	111¾
		600	Detroit Edison Co. (8)	106¼	106¾	106¼	106¾	— ¼	106	106¾
		100	Detroit United Ry. (6)	65	65	65	65	— ½	65	66
		200	Dome Mines (2)	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ¼	19¼	19½
2,600	127¾	2,600	Du Pont de Nemours (8)	127¾	128¼	127¾	128	— ¼	128¼	128¾
		183	Durham Hosiery	9	9	9	9		9	9¾
		100	Eastman Kodak (10)	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	— ¼	107¾	107¾
		200	Eaton Axle & Spring (2.50)	23	23	23	23	— ¼	23	23¼
2,300	67¾	2,300	Electric Storage Bat. (6½)	67¾	68¾	67¾	68¾	+ ¾	68¾	68¾
		600	Elkhorn Coal	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ¼	12¾	12¾
		200	Elkhorn Coal pf.	25	25	25	25	— 5	24	25
		500	Emerson Brantingham	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝		5⅝	5¾
		300	Emerson Brantingham pf.	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾	— ¼	71¾	74
		200	Endicott-Johnson (5)	61¾	62¾	61¾	62¾	— ¼	63	64½
17,700	20¾	17,700	Erie	20¾	21¾	20	20¾	— ¼	20¾	21
		6,300	Erie 1st pf.	28¾	29¾	28¾	29¾	+ ¾	29	29¼
		3,600	Erie 2d pf.	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾	+ ¾	25	25½
		5,000	Famous Players-Lasky (8)	68¾	69¾	68¾	69¾	+ ¾	69	69¼
		1,200	Famous Players-L. pf. (8)	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	— ¼	93	93¾
		100	Fed. M. & S. pf. (7)	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	— ¼	61	62
		1,100	Fifth Avenue Bus (50c)	8¾	9¼	8¾	9		8¾	8¾
		2,200	Fisk Rubber	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ¼	7¾	7¾
		100	Fleischmann Co. (12½)	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	— ¼	44¾	45
		1,000	Freeport-Texas Co.	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ¼	12¾	12¾
		3,000	Gen. Asphalt Cas. (3)	34¾	35¾	34¾	35¾	+ ¾	35¾	36
		200	Gen. Am. Tank Car pf. (7)	97	97	97	97		96	97¾
		2,800	General Asphalt	35	36¾	35	35¾	— ¼	35¾	36
		200	General Cigar (6)	88¾	88¾	88	88		87¾	89¾
		100	General Cigar deb. pf. (7)	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	— ¼	105	106
		3,600	General Electric (8)	194	196¾	193¾	195¾	— ¼	195	196
		600	Gen. Elec. Special (50c)	106	106	106	106	— ¼	106	106½
		5,800	General Motors (1.20)	144¾	146	144¾	144¾		144	144¾
		100	General Motors deb. (7)	97	97	97	97		96	96
		800	General Motors deb. (6)	81¾	81¾	81	81	— ¼	81	81¾
		400	Glidden Co.	27	27	27	27	— ¼	26¾	27
		3,300	Goldwyn Pictures	21¾	22¾	21¾	22¾	+ ¾	22¾	23
		2,200	Goodrich (B. F.) Co.	22	22	21	21	— ¾	20¾	21
		300	Goodyear Tire & Rub. pf.	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ¼	40	41
		200	Goodyear T. & R. pf. pf. (8)	91	91	90	90	— 1	88	91
		9,400	Great Northern pf. (8)	57¾	58¾	57¾	58¾	+ ¾	58¾	59
		300	Gt. Nor. Ctfs. for D. P. (4)	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	— ¼	37¾	37¾
		1,000	Gt. Nor. Iron Ctfs. (2)	107	107	107	107	— ¼	106	107
		700	Greene Cananea Copper	14	14	13¾	13¾	— ¼	13¾	13¾
		800	Guantanamo Sugar	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾		6¾	7
		900	Gulf, Mob. & Northern	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ¼	14¾	14¾
		200	Gulf, Mob. & North. pf. (1)	81	81	81	81	— ¼	82	83
		2,400	Gulf States Steel (6)	74¾	80	74¾	75¾	— ¼	74¾	75¾
		300	Habirshaw Elec. Cable	9	9	9	9		8¾	9
		200	Hanna (M. A.) 1st pf. (7)	90	90	90	90	— ½	90	93
		100	Hartman Corp. (4)	40	40	40	40	— ¼	40¾	42
		2,100	Hayes Wheel (3)	39¾	40¾	39¾	40¾

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United States Government bonds....	$2,657,850	$5,237,750	$7,282,850	$20,273,000	$25,001,750
Other domestic bonds.....	6,026,500	5,120,500	6,852,000	6,238,500	6,193,000
Foreign bonds	1,125,000	1,625,000	2,094,000	1,169,000	1,402,500
Total all bonds.....	$9,809,350	$11,983,250	$16,228,850	$27,680,500	$32,597,250
Year to date—					
United States Government bonds....	$774,579,370	$1,609,260,977	$2,050,178,430	$2,720,272,350	$2,761,093,575
Other domestic bonds.....	1,466,365,200	1,882,465,600	993,536,500	748,665,000	583,433,489
Foreign bonds	426,762,600	590,758,300	355,304,700	287,525,950	266,501,100
Total all bonds.....	$2,668,207,170	$4,082,484,877	$3,399,019,630	$3,756,463,300	$3,611,028,164

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LOANS.

—Range Since Date of Issue— High.	Date.	Low.	Date.	—Range, '23— High.	Low.	Sales	Issue	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	—Closing— Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
103.1	Oct. 19,'22	86.1	June 2,'21	101.30	99.5	218	Liberty 3½s, 1932-47	99.28	99.30	99.27	99.27	—.3	99.28	99.29	3.51
102.25	Oct. 19,'22	86.4	July 11,'21	101.25	99.7	48	Liberty 3½s, registered	99.27	99.27	99.25	99.25	—.3	....	....	....
101.25	July 25,'22	83.00	May 19,'20	98.30	97.5	...	Lib. 1st cv. 4s, '32-47	....	....	....	....	....	96.60	96.70	4.11
101.10	July 14,'22	82.25	May 19,'20	98.15	97.3	...	Lib. 1st cv. 4s, reg	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
100.28	July 25,'22	81.12	May 20,'20	98.13	97	2	Liberty 2d 4s, '27-42	98.10	98.10	98.10	98.10	—1.	98.7	98.12	4.12
100.18	July 14,'22	81.18	May 21,'20	98.10	96.18	1	Liberty 2d 4s, reg	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	+1	....	....	....
102.00	July 16,'22	90.00	June 7,'20	100.00	97.5	3	Lib. 1st 2d cv.4¼s,'32-47	98.00	98.00	98.00	98.00	—1	97.26	98.6	....
101.25	July 14,'22	84.00	May 11,'20	99.6	96.22	40½	Lib. 1st cv.4¼s,'32-47	98.15	98.15	98.11	98.11	—3	98.11	98.14	4.56
101.14	July 16,'22	84.00	July 30,'20	98.30	96.30	1	Lib. 1st cv. 4¼s, reg	98.14	98.4	98.4	98.4	—4	....	....	....
101.00	July 14,'22	81.12	May 20,'20	99.2	96.24	2054	Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s,'27-42	98.11	98.12	98.10	98.10	—1	98.10	98.11	4.56
100.25	July 21,'22	82.16	Dec. 22,'19	98.31	97.1	3	Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s, reg	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	+1	....	....	....
101.00	July 30,'22	85.20	Dec. 30,'20	99.10	97.25	1,184	Liberty 3d 4½s, 1928	99.9	99.9	99.7	99.7	—2	99.6	99.8	4.42
100.27	July 25,'22	82.12	May 19,'20	99.5	97.17	1	Liberty 4th 4¼s, '33-38	99.6	99.6	99.6	99.6	—2	....	....	....
101.27	July 17,'22	82.00	May 20,'20	99.6	96.27	751	Liberty 4th 4¼s, '33-38	98.14	98.14	98.11	98.11	—3	98.11	98.12	4.40
101.20	July 26,'22	82.15	May 20,'20	99.00	96.28	2	Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
100.4	Oct. 19,'22	86.1	Mar. 27,'28	100.1	98.1	134	Treasury 4¼s, 1947-52	99.18	99.18	99.16	99.17	—1	99.16	99.17	4.28
100.00	Feb. 14,'23	99.20	Apr. 28,'23	100.00	99.20	....	Treasury 4¼s, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

Beginning March 22, the Stock Exchange officially quotes Liberty Bonds in units and fractions, the fractions being 32ds of a unit, and the quotations after the decimal point representing one or more 32ds. In the above table, therefore, the figures of highest and lowest prices during 1923 and since date of issue are reduced to the form now used in the Stock Exchange quotations.

FOREIGN BONDS.

Argentine 6s, 1945: 2.... 88¾; 7s, 1927: 13.... 102; 7.... 101⅞; 13.... 101¾. Aust Gov gtd s f 7s, 1943, int rcts: 7.... 87½; 5.... 87⅜; 1.... 87½; 1.... 87⅝. Chinese Ry 6s, 1951: 2.... 41¼; 1.... 41. City of Bord'x 6s, 1934: 9.... 76½. City of Copenhagen 5½s, 1952: 4.... 88; 1.... 87¼. Cy of Greater Prnce 7½s, 1952: 8.... 78½; 2.... 78¼. City of Lyons 6s, 1934: 7.... 77; 3.... 76½; 1.... 76½; 1.... 76½; 1.... 76½. Am Chain s f 6s, 1933: 1.... 93¼; 1.... 93½. Am Cot Oil 5s, 1931: 2.... 79; 2.... 78½. Am Rep deb 6s, 1937: 10.... 86; 5.... 85½. Am S & R 1st 5s, 1947: 1.... 91¾; 1.... 92; 7.... 91⅞; 5.... 91¾; 10.... 92; 9.... 92⅜. 6s, 1947: 1....102½; 1....102⅝. Am Sug Ref tem 6s, 1931: 1....100¾; 6....100⅞; 1....100⅞; 1....100⅞. Am Tel & Tel col 4s, 1929: 17.... 92¼; gold 4s, 1936: 2.... 87⅞; col tr 5s, 1946: 2.... 97⅝; 1.... 97⅞; 1.... 97½; 1.... 97⅞; 1.... 97⅝; 3.... 97⅛; 9.... 97¾; s f 5½s, 1943: int rcts: 13.... 98¼; 5.... 98½; 1.... 98¼; 1.... 98¼; 2.... 98¼; 1.... 98¼; 9.... 98¼; 28.... 98¾; 20.... 98¼; 18.... 98⅛. Am Wat Wks & Elec col tr 5s, 1934: 3.... 97¾; 2.... 85½. Am wr Pap 6s, 1939: 2.... 42½; 2.... 42. Anaconda Mg 1st s f 8s, Ser A, 1953: 3.... 96¼; 18.... 96⅞; 4.... 96¾; 2.... 96¼; 1.... 96¼; 2.... 96¼; 1.... 96¼; 1.... 96¼; 1.... 96¼; conv deb 7s, 1938: 3.... 98¼; 1.... 98; 1.... 98¼; 1.... 98¼; 1.... 98¼; 1.... 98¼; gold 4s, 1946: 2.... 81½; 1.... 81½; 1.... 81½; 1.... 81½; conv 4½s, '32: 8.... 89¾.

1942: 11.... 82¼; 2.... 82⅜. Dom of Can 6s, 1926: 45.... 99⅝; 9½s, 1929: 2.... 100⅝; 1.... 101; 1.... 100⅞; 1.... 100⅞; 8s, 1931: 2.... 99⅜; 1.... 100⅛; 1.... 99⅞; 1.... 99⅞; 1.... 99¼; 1.... 99¼; 1.... 99⅛; 1.... 99⅛; 1.... 99⅛

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TRUST COMPANY BONUS

Metropolitan Employes to Receive 10 Per Cent. of Year's Salary—Parke, Davis & Co. Gives Extra.

More extra or increased dividends were declared by bank and industrial corporations yesterday. The directors of the Mechanics and Metals National Bank declared an extra dividend of 2 per cent. on its capital stock in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent., both dividends payable Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 22.

The directors of the Metropolitan Trust Company, declared the regular quarterly dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock payable Dec. 31, to stockholders of record Dec. 21. The directors also voted a Christmas bonus of 10 per cent. of the year's salary to all employes.

The directors of the Corn Exchange Bank declared the regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent. on its increased capital stock, payable Jan. 31, 1924.

Directors of the White Rock Mineral Springs Company, declared a dividend of 50 cents a share on the common stock and 1¾ per cent. on the first preferred stock, both dividends being payable Dec. 31, to stockholders of record Dec. 26. Last July this company paid a dividend of 2½ per cent. on its common stock, the first payment made by the company in fifteen years. The dividend declared yesterday is on the new capitalization.

An extra dividend of $1.50 a share was declared on the capital stock of Parke, Davis & Co., in addition to the regular quarterly payment of 50 cents a share. Both dividends are payable Jan. 2, 1924 to stockholders of record Dec. 20.

The Hurley Machine Company declared an extra dividend of 2½ per cent. on its common stock, payable in common stock, also the regular quarterly cash dividend of $1 a share, both dividends being payable Jan. 14, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 29. For the eleven months ended Nov. 30, 1923, the company reports net sales of $6,502,976, an increase of $1,994,608 over the same period last year.

Directors of the Commercial Chemical Company, meeting in Memphis, Tenn., declared an initial quarterly dividend of 37½ cents a share on the 30,000 shares of Class B stock, placing the issue on a $1.50 annual basis. The dividend is payable Jan. 20, to stockholders of record Jan. 2. Earnings of the company for the first eight months of the year aggregated $126,356, which is at the annual rate of approximately $5 a share. The company manufactures calcium arsenate, used for the extermination of the boll weevil.

The Acme Road Machinery Company of Frankfort, N. Y., declared a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. on the outstanding preferred stock, payable Jan. 1, to stockholders of record Dec. 31.

Directors of the Waring Hat Manufacturing Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. on the preferred stock, payable Dec. 31 to stockholders of record Dec. 20.

DIVIDENDS BY RAILROADS.

Baltimore & Ohio and Northern Pacific Declare Payments.

Regular dividends were declared yesterday by the directors of the Baltimore & Ohio and the Northern Pacific Railroads. Considerable interest was manifested by the railroad and the financial districts in the action of these directors yesterday. One or two rumors had said that the Baltimore & Ohio might not maintain the same rate of dividend on the common stock which was established at the last quarterly meeting. Recent action by the directors of such railroads as the Chicago & North Western caused some doubt as to what action would be taken by the directors of the Northern Pacific.

B. & O. INCOME $43,319,434.

Directors Estimate There Will Be a Surplus of $15,636,642.

The net operating income of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad for 1923 will be $43,319,434, according to an estimate made public after the directors' monthly meeting yesterday. The road's officials figured that the net corporate income would total $23,241,169. After making allowance of $5,250,000 in order to satisfy in full the provisions of the loan agreement of July 1, 1919, and the amount required for dividends on the 4 per cent common stock, there will be a surplus of $15,636,642.

Daniel Willard, President, and the other executive officers were re-elected.

American Hardware's Dividend.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 19.—The Directors of the American Hardware Corporation this afternoon declared a dividend of 75 cents per share as the regular quarterly dividend, and a further distribution of $1.25 per share from the surplus funds. This action is equivalent to the regular 3 per cent. quarterly dividend and an extra 5 per cent. Major John P. Elton of Waterbury was appointed a director on the board to succeed his father, the late James S. Elton.

Banking Institute Reunion Today.

The New York Chapter of the American Institute of Banking will hold its Christmas reunion today at 15 West Thirty-seventh Street. Invitations have been extended to all alumni of the association, and a "get-together" program is contemplated in which former students will meet those now studying. There will be dancing, singing and refreshments. A Christmas tree will be strung with favors.

Chicago Live Stock.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Lighter trade was on in provisions with hog supplies large and market weak. Lard futures, however, closed 5 to 10 cents higher at the top, with shorts the best buyers. Cash trade was lighter. Packing in the west last week was 1,068,000 hogs against 1,068,000 last year. For the season to date 6,997,000 against 5,917,000 last year.

Jersey Trolley Earnings $3,600,000.

Estimates made yesterday by Thomas N. McCarter, President of the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, placed the ultimate earnings of the company for 1923 at approximately $3,600,000. These earnings were considered favorable as compared to last year, he said, when it is considered that the company passed through a long period of strike this year.

Reo Motor Increases Stock.

Stockholders of the Reo Motor Car Company approved an increase in the authorized common stock from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000 yesterday. This action, according to reports in the financial district, is believed to be preliminary to the declaration of a stock dividend.

Rail Executives Meet Today.

The monthly meeting of the Eastern Presidents' Conference, including the heads of all Eastern railroads, will be held at noon today at the Bankers' Club. A report on labor conditions will be made.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	57.56	56.67	57.18	+ .19
25 industrials	106.72	107.15	108.03	+ .51
50 stocks	83.14	81.91	82.63	+ .35

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 19	83.18	82.01	82.25	—1.16
Dec. 17	84.00	83.06	83.41	—.20
Dec. 15	83.82	83.22	83.61	+ .27
Dec. 14	84.23	82.99	83.34	— .38
Dec. 13	84.27	83.28	83.72	+ .25
Dec. 12	84.01	82.99	83.47	+ .24

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

Dec.	—High.—		—Low.—		Last.
*1923	84.96	Dec. 3	81.91	Dec. 19	82.60
1922	88.35	Dec. 20	82.45	Dec. 1	86.53
1921	66.20	Dec. 15	66.81	Dec. 23	68.50
1920	72.77	Dec. 4	62.79	Dec. 22	67.06
1919	90.40	Dec. 26	84.10	Dec. 13	85.65

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

*1923	92.52	Mar. 6	77.15	Oct. 29	82.60
†1922	98.06	Oct. 18	66.21	Jan. 19	84.88

Full Years.

1922	98.06	Oct. 18	66.21	Jan. 19	86.58
1921	73.13	May 4	58.35	June 21	68.50
1920	94.07	Apr. 5	62.70	Dec. 22	67.06
1919	90.50	Nov. 5	69.73	Jan. 21	90.60
1918	80.16	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.39

DOMESTIC BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		—Net Change.— Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues	76.60	..	+.24	—2.04

DAILY RANGE OF DOMESTIC BONDS.

Dec. 18	76.80	—.03	Dec 11...76.80 —.12
Dec. 17	76.63	+.03	Dec. 10...76.92 —.07
Dec. 15	76.60	—.02	Dec. 8...76.99 +.13
Dec. 14	76.62	—.03	Dec. 7...76.87 +.08
Dec. 13	76.65	—.10	Dec. 6...76.79 +.04
Dec. 12	76.75	—.05	Dec. 5...76.75 +.20

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

*1923	79.48	Jan. 31	75.88	Oct. 2	76.60
†1922	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	78.64

Full Years.

1922	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	79.12
1921	76.31	Nov. 29	67.56	June 30	76.27
1920	78.14	Oct. 21	65.57	May 29	68.68
1919	79.05	June 2	71.05	Dec. 7	72.00
1918	82.86	Nov. 12	75.05	Sep. 27	78.79

FOREIGN BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		—Net Change.— Day.	Week.	Month.
10 Govt. issues	98.06	—.01	—.16	

DAILY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

Dec. 18	98.07	..	Dec. 11...98.13 ..
Dec. 17	98.07	..	Dec. 10...98.13 —.07
Dec. 15	98.07	+.03	Dec. 8...98.20 —.04
Dec. 14	98.04	—.17	Dec. 7...98.24 —.01
Dec. 13	98.21	—.01	Dec. 6...98.25 +.02
Dec. 12	98.22	+.09	Dec. 5...98.23 +.26

YEARLY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

	High		Low.		Last.
*1923	101.14	June 17	96.92	Jan. 30	98.06

*To date. †To corresponding date last year.

AWAIT BONUSES BY BANKS.

Employes Are Hopeful—Stockholders Look for Extra Dividends.

Meetings of bank directors are being watched closely at present by stockholders who are hoping for extra dividends and by bank employes who are looking for announcements regarding Christmas bonuses.

In most cases action has already been taken on the stock, banks having declared extra dividends ranging from 1 to 20 per cent. As yet, only about a dozen have acted on the bonus proposition, a procedure that is generally held back until a day or two before the Saturday departure for the Christmas holidays, when the bonuses usually are handed out.

The Bank of New York and Trust Company and the Chemical National Bank yesterday announced that employes and officers would receive the customary Christmas bonus, amounting to 10 per cent. of their annual salaries.

Following a meeting of directors yesterday the Coal and Iron National Bank of the City of New York announced that a bonus of 5 per cent. on the year's salary would be paid each employe.

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

French and British Government Bonds Decline Again.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Prices were steady on the Stock Exchange today. Old 2½ per cent. consols ½ lower at 53; 5 per cent. war loan ¼ lower at 99¾; 4½ per cent. war loan unchanged at 96¾.

De Beers Mining ¾ lower at 11⅝; Rand Mines ⅛ lower at 2⅛.

The Stock Exchange here will be closed Dec. 25 and 26 and Jan. 1, Christmas holidays.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—Prices were heavy on the Bourse. Three per cent. rentes 25 centimes lower at 53 francs 15 centimes; 5 per cent. war loan 55 centimes lower at 68 francs 25 centimes.

Exchange on London 26 centimes higher at 83 francs 86 centimes per sovereign; American dollars 19 francs 15½ centimes, against 19.8 yesterday.

INSPECTS RAIL LINES AT 84.

George F. Baker Joins Other New York Central Officials on Trip.

George F. Baker, 84 years old, railroad executive and banker, demonstrated that he was still taking an active interest in railroad management by making a trip of inspection this week over the West Shore and main lines of the New York Central as far as Albany. The party, which has just returned in the private car of President A. H. Smith, included, besides Mr. Smith and Mr. Baker, Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Harold S. Vanderbilt and several other New York Central men.

Special attention was given the bridge which is under construction by the road at Albany and which is expected to be put in service before the close of 1924.

Archer-Daniels-Midland Report.

The Archer-Daniels-Midland Company, manufacturers of linseed oil, for the year ended Sept. 30, 1923, reports gross sales of $41,334,341 and net profits of $1,800,038. The net profits are figured after all expenses and charges, and reserves for Federal taxes, depreciation and other accounts. J. W. Daniels, President of the company, in a statement to stockholders, says: "The present volume of business is satisfactory and the amount of unfilled orders on hand is large. We anticipate a satisfactory profit for the coming year." The balance sheet on Sept. 30, 1923 showed current assets of $9,009,122 and current liabilities of $5,212,493.

Wire Output Sets Plant Record.

The Western Electric Company of Chicago produced 2,263,180,000 conductor feet of lead-covered telephone wire during November, the company reports. This established a record for the plant. The wire, which was put in cables, was sufficient, it was said, to go through fifty-three worlds like our own from pole to pole.

Sargent Named to Succeed Sheean.

Fred W. Sargent has been appointed Vice President and General Counsel of the Chicago & Northwestern, and R. N. Van Doren has been appointed General Solicitor, according to information received in the railroad district yesterday. Mr. Sargent will succeed James B. Sheean, who has retired from active service on account of ill health.

Panama Railroad Income.

The net income of the Panama Railroad Company for the year ended June 30 was $797,710, compared with a deficit of $1,297,634, according to the annual report. The net income from the operation of the railroad and the steamship properties amounted to only $171,777, while the income from other sources was $629,932.

White Eagle Oil Gets New Well.

The White Eagle Oil and Refining Company reported yesterday that it had brought in a new well in Greenwood County, Kansas.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

French Francs Decline to Record Low—Sympathetic Heaviness in the Continentals.

The decline of French francs to 5.18 cents, a record low for all time, was the outstanding feature of yesterday's market. Starting here at 5.21¾ cents, an overnight decline of 2¾ points, heavy local selling later brought about a further drop to the new low at 5.16, which displaces the previous record of 5.19½ cents, touched on Nov. 19. The weakness was attributed to large commercial demands for American credit in Paris, where merchants, anticipating a lower dollar quotation, overstayed the market, which resulted in a cumulatively sharp demand on failure to break the dollar rate. Dealers here were aware of the lightness of the French demand for dollar credit and were not surprised by the foreign selling of Paris remittances yesterday.

London and Continental bills sustained a reaction in sympathy with the break in French francs, sterling closing down a full cent under Tuesday's final, at $4.36⅝. Italian, Belgian and Spanish all dropped several points from their previous quotations, although the Scandinavians and Holland bills were relatively firm. In the mid-Europeans, the Polish mark declined to a record low at 15 cents per million. Japanese yen sagged to a new low at 46.48 cents, other Easterns also yielding slightly.

German marks were nominally quoted at 25 cents per trillion, or 4,000 billion for one dollar, compared with 4,160 billion a week ago and 6,666 a year ago.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19, 1923.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Tuesday's Final.	Final.
LONDON	$4.37⅛	$4.36⅛	$4.36⅜	$4.37⅛
PARIS	5.22¼	5.16	5.19	5.24½
ROME	4.34¼	4.30¾	4.31¼	4.33½
AMSTERDAM	38.15	38.05	38.15	38.12
*BERLIN	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000
MADRID	13.08	13.05	13.05	13.09
STOCKHOLM	26.35	26.30	26.32	26.32

*Value of $1.00 in billions of marks.

CLOSING RATES.

In the subjoined table the quotation on sterling represents dollars and decimals of a dollar; all others represent cents and decimals of a cent. Quotations preceded by the decimal mark indicate a price measured in fractions of a cent.

Europe.

	Wednesday.	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅔ per sovereign.				
Demand	$4.36⅝	$4.37⅛	$4.37⅛	$4.62⅝
Cables	4.36⅝	4.37⅛	4.37½	4.63⅛
Com., 60 days	4.32⅝	4.34½	4.34¼	4.60¼
Com., 90 days	4.30¾	4.32½	4.32	4.58¼
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	5.18	5.24½	5.21	7.42
Cables	5.18⅛	5.23	5.21½	7.42½
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.				
Demand	4.31¼	4.33¾	4.34¼	5.06
Cables	4.31¾	4.34	4.35	5.06⅛
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	4.54	4.56¼	4.56½	6.53⅛
Cables	4.54⅛	4.59	4.59	6.53
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand	.000000000025	.000000000025	.000000000024	.0147
Cables	.000000000025	.000000000025	.000000000024	.0147
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0014¼	.0014¼	.0014½	.0014½
Cables	.0014¼	.0014⅝	.0014½	.0014½
CZECHOSLOVAKIA — Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	2.93¼	2.92	2.93	3.02
Cables	2.93¼	2.93	2.93	3.02
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.				
Demand	17.87	17.87	17.83	20.60
Cables	17.90	17.90	17.86	20.63
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.				
Demand	2.47⅛	2.47	2.47	2.52
Cables	2.47⅛	2.47	2.47	2.52
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.				
Demand	1.74	1.76	1.82	1.40
Cables	1.77	1.81	1.85	1.43
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.				
Demand	38.15	38.13	39.20	39.70
Cables	38.19	38.16	38.24	39.75
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0052½	.0052½	.0053	.04⅝
Cables	.0053½	.0052½	.0053	.04⅝
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.				
Demand	14.96	14.97	15.03	18.93
Cables	14.99	15.00	15.06	18.95
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand	.000015	.000022	.000080	.0056
Cables	.000015	.000022	.000080	.0056
PORTUGAL—Par $1.0805 per escudo.				
Demand	3.52	3.64	3.60	4.62
Cables	3.57	3.69	3.65	4.72
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.				
Demand	.51¼	.51¼	.51¼	.61
Cables	.51¼	.51¼	.51¼	.61
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.				
Demand	13.05	13.06	13.01	15.71
Cables	13.07	13.06	13.03	15.73
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krona.				
Demand	26.32	26.25	26.22	26.95
Cables	26.35	26.35	26.35	26.97
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	17.42	17.43	17.43	18.90
Cables	17.44	17.45	17.45	18.92
YUGOSLAVIA—Par 19.3 cents per dinar.				
Demand	1.14	1.13⅝	1.14	1.18
Cables	1.14	1.13⅝	1.14	1.18

Far East.

CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.

Hongkong—				
Demand	51.38	51.50	51.13	52.59
Cables	51.50	51.62	51.25	53.00
Peking—				
Demand	78.00	78.00	77.50	78.50
Shanghai—				
Demand	73.62	74.38	73.13	71.00
Cables	73.75	74.50	73.25	71.125

INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, nominally stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.

Demand	30.88	30.88	30.93	30.75
Cables	31.00	31.00	31.05	30.90

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.

Demand	49.50	49.50	49.50	50.35
Cables	49.625	49.625	49.625	50.50

JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.

Demand	37.50	37.50	37.50	39.25

JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.

Demand	46.48	46.63	46.73	48.31
Cables	46.60	46.75	46.85	48.93

South America.

ARGENTINA—Par 42.44 cents per Argentine paper dollar.

Demand	32.125	32.00	32.125	37.90
Cables	32.25	32.125	32.25	37.95

BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis

Demand	9.40	9.45	9.15	12.90
Cables	9.45	9.50	9.20	12.95

CHILE—Par 36.5 cents per paper peso.

Demand	10.60	10.60	10.55	12.45
Cables	10.65	10.65	10.60	12.50

PERU—Par $4.8665 per pound.

Checks	4.04	4.05	4.03	4.29
Cables	4.05	4.06	4.04	4.31

URUGUAY—Par $1.0342 per gold peso.

Demand	78.12	78.12	78.12	84.75
Cables	78.47	78.47	78.47	85.10

Canada.

MONTREAL—Par 100 cents per Canadian dollar.

Demand	97.80	97.80	97.44	99.13

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows:
(Par, 51.46 cents per ruble.)

	Bid.	Ask.
100 ruble notes, per ruble	.07	.12
500 ruble notes, per ruble	.05¼	.06¾

EARNINGS.

Hudson & Manhattan—

	1923.	1922.	1921
Nov. gross	$1,001,469	$939,392	$901,167
Net aft. tax	498,732	439,563	402,997
*Sur. aft. chgs	150,429	90,054	90,010
11 mos. gro	10,632,985	10,015,038	9,660,295
Net aft. tax	4,903,698	4,454,012	3,992,886
*Surplus aft. chgs	$1,170,682	704,770	848,342

*After full interest on adjustment income 5% bonds.

Southern Utilities Co.—

	1923	1922	Changes.
Nov. gross	$197,979	$174,972	Inc. $23,007
Bal. aft. chgs and tax	16,222	15,082	Inc. 1,340
12 mos. gross	2,537,907	2,330,086	Inc. 207,822
Bal. aft. chgs. and tax	469,710	272,416	Inc. 197,293

NEW OFFERING

$7,500,000

West Penn Power Company

First Mortgage 5½% Gold Bonds, Series F

Denominations, $1,000, $500, $100 Due October 1, 1953

Price 95½ and accrued interest, yielding about 5.85%

Interest payable April 1 and October 1 without deduction for Federal Income Taxes now or hereafter deductible at the source not in excess of 2%. Redeemable upon four weeks' published notice at the following prices and accrued interest: on or before October 1, 1928 at 107½; thereafter and to and including October 1, 1933, at 105; thereafter to and including October 1, 1943, at 103½; and thereafter to maturity at the principal amount. Previous Series of these Bonds have been listed on the New York Stock Exchange and application will be made to list these Bonds.

TAX EXEMPT IN PENNSYLVANIA

For detailed information regarding these Bonds, attention is directed to a letter of Mr. A. M. Lynn, President of the Company, from which the following is summarized:

THE COMPANY: West Penn Power Company supplies electricity for light, heat and power purposes in 384 cities, towns and communities located in the Pittsburgh district, at distances of from 3 to 60 miles from that city. The population of all communities served is approximately 500,000, while the chartered territory exceeds 5,000 square miles.

TERRITORY: The territory served by the Company is considered one of the best fields for power consumption in the United States, the industries served being of a very widely diversified character.

SECURITY: These Bonds, in the opinion of counsel, are secured by a first mortgage on all the physical property, rights and franchises now owned by West Penn Power Company.

The replacement value of the Company's property, based on pre-war prices, plus expenditures for subsequent additions and betterments, is largely in excess of the $33,593,000 First Mortgage Bonds outstanding, including this issue.

EARNINGS: Gross earnings for the 12 months ended October 31, 1923, were $12,667,269.07. During the same period, net earnings amounted to $4,915,897.26, as compared with annual interest requirements on the outstanding First Mortgage Bonds, including this issue, of $1,893,080.

GROWTH OF BUSINESS

Calendar Year	Sales K.W.H.	Gross Earnings	Net Earnings
1916	177,597,465	$3,022,257	$1,371,917
1917	267,183,354	3,958,794	1,344,837
1918	307,323,721	5,670,767	2,004,637
1919	323,285,138	6,203,109	2,286,792
1920	403,417,811	8,314,320	2,572,063
1921	414,646,512	9,468,570	3,559,189
1922	519,296,013	10,339,071	3,925,290
*1923	645,587,136	12,667,269	4,915,897

*Twelve months ended October 31, 1923.

West Penn Power Company is controlled through stock ownership by the American Water Works & Electric Company, Inc.

Halsey, Stuart & Co.
Incorporated
New York · Chicago

The Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh

W. A. Harriman & Co.
Incorporated
New York · Chicago

These Bonds are offered for delivery when, as and if issued and accepted by us and subject to the approval of counsel. Temporary bonds later exchangeable for definitive bonds will be ready for delivery on or about December 28, 1923 at the office of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc. All statements herein are official, or are based on information which we regard as reliable, and, while we do not guarantee them, we ourselves have relied upon them in the purchase of this security.

New Issue

Exempt from all Federal Income Taxes

$4,200,000

Milwaukee County, Wisconsin

4¾% Metropolitan Sewerage Bonds

Dated June 1, 1923 No option Due Serially June 1, as shown below

Denomination $1,000. Principal and semi-annual interest (June 1 and December 1), payable at the office of the County Treasurer, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assessed Valuation of Milwaukee County	$922,055,195
Total County Bonded Debt, including this issue	$10,219,200
Sinking Fund	44,062
Net Bonded Debt	10,175,138

Population of County, 539,469

These bonds are issued by the Board of County Commissioners of Milwaukee County, and in opinion of counsel, are direct obligations of Milwaukee County, payable out of taxes levied against all but approximately 3 percent of the taxable property within the county. The assessed valuation of the property subject to tax is $898,711,458, or over 97 percent of the assessed valuation of the entire county. The validity of the law under which these bonds are to be issued has been approved by the Supreme Court of the State of Wisconsin.

MATURITIES AND PRICES

$430,000 June 1, 1934 to 1937, to yield about 4.60%
430,000 June 1, 1938 to 1940, to yield about 4.55%
430,000 June 1, 1941 to 1942, to yield about 4.50%
330,000 June 1, 1943, to yield about 4.50%

Legality to be approved by Messrs. Wood & Oakley, Chicago.

A. B. Leach & Co., Inc.
Northern Trust Company
A. G. Becker & Co.
Taylor, Ewart & Co., Inc.
Blodget & Co.
Lee, Higginson & Co.
Curtis & Sanger
Keane, Higbie & Company
Incorporated
Paine, Webber & Company
The Herrick Company

The Detroit Company
Incorporated

The above statements while not guaranteed are based upon information which we believe to be reliable.

WHEAT SOWING CUT 6,759,000 ACRES

Winter Area Is 40,191,000 Acres, According to Reports to Department of Agriculture.

CALL TO DIVERSIFY HEEDED

Federal Loan Board Predicts a Continued Improvement in Farming Conditions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Wheat producers have heeded to some degree the warnings of agricultural experts to reduce their acreage, it was indicated in today's report of the Department of Agriculture, which announced that 40,191,000 acres had been sown to Winter wheat this Fall. That is a reduction of 6,759,000 acres, or 12.6 per cent. from the acreage sown a year ago, but the area is 19.1 per cent. above the prewar average annual sowing.

The estimate of sowing is closely in line with the Government's August report of farmers' intentions to plant, which placed the acreage at 39,200,000, or 15.8 per cent. below last year's sowings.

The condition of the crop on Dec. 1 was 88 per cent. of normal, which is 1.5 points better than the ten-year average condition on that date, showing that the crop goes into Winter in good condition.

Abandonment of acreage last Winter amounted to 6,428,000 acres, or 14 per cent. of the acreage sown. Abandonment in the previous ten years averaged 9.5 per cent., ranging from 1 per cent. to 21 per cent. in the various years. If the average annual abandonment is maintained this Winter it would leave about 36,282,000 acres to be harvested next Summer.

The largest reduction in acreage was in Missouri, which reports 25 per cent. below last year's sowings. Kansas and Indiana showed a 13 per cent. reduction, Nebraska 12 per cent., Illinois 17 per cent., Oklahoma 8 per cent., Ohio 6 per cent. and Pennsylvania 4 per cent. Washington showed a 10 per cent. increase in acreage.

The condition of the crop in Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska, the States with the largest acreages, was much better than a year ago.

The area sown to rye is 4,877,000 acres, which is 15.1 per cent. less than the revised area sown last Fall, which was 5,157,000 acres. The condition of the crop on Dec. 1 was 89.9 per cent. of a normal, compared with 84.8 a year ago, 92.2 in 1921 and 89.9 the ten-year average.

The condition of Winter wheat in the principal producing States is as follows: Pennsylvania 92, against 79 a year ago; Ohio 90, against 86; Indiana 88, against 90; Illinois 85, against 90; Missouri 85, against 90; Nebraska 91, against 63; Kansas 84, against 73; Oklahoma 80, against 89; Washington 94, against 77; Oregon 97, against 91.

Area planted to Winter wheat in the important producing States compares as follows with that reported one and two years ago, in acres:

	1923.	1922.	1921.
Pennsylvania	1,240,000	1,288,000	1,408,000
Ohio	1,814,000	1,916,000	2,016,000
Indiana	1,917,000	2,201,000	2,053,000
Illinois	2,924,000	3,412,000	3,776,000
Missouri	3,230,000	4,133,000	4,133,000
Nebraska	4,704,000	5,310,000	3,964,000
Kansas	10,081,000	11,284,000	11,569,000
Oklahoma	5,274,000	5,733,000	5,260,000
Washington	1,529,000	1,456,000	1,432,000
Oregon	894,000	879,000	868,000

Acreage sown to Winter wheat and Winter rye compares as follows with the revised figures of area planted in previous Winter seasons:

	Wheat:	Rye.
1923	40,191,000	4,877,000
1922	45,950,000	5,157,000
1921	47,611,000	6,310,000
1920	44,847,000	4,228,000
1919	41,717,000	3,250,000
1918	50,489,000	7,283,000

Largest area ever sown for Winter wheat was the 50,489,000 acres of 1918. Area sown in 1919 was 37,128,000.

Condition as of Dec. 1 compares as follows for Winter wheat:

1923	88.0	1919	88.5
1922	76.5	1917	79.3
1921	76.0	1916	85.7
1920	87.9	1915	87.7
1919	85.3	1914	84.3

Dec. 1 condition for Winter rye:

1923	89.9	1919	90.9
1922	84.8	1917	84.1
1921	92.2	1916	88.8
1920	90.5	1915	91.5
1919	89.8	1914	93.6

Transfer China Radio Rights.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—The Federal Telegraph Company of California has transferred all of its rights and titles in the $13,000,000 contract for construction and operation of radio stations in China to the newly organized Federal Telegraph Company of Delaware, a $3,500,000 corporation, the board of the latter corporation announced here today. The sole stockholders of the Delaware corporation are the Radio Corporation of America and the Federal Telegraph Company of California, it was said.

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Period	Holders of Record.	Payable.
Am. Coal of Ala. Co.	$1	Q	Feb. 1	Jan. 11
American Gas	1½	Q	Jan. 15	Jan. 2
American Ice	1¾	Q	Jan. 22	Jan. 9
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 22	Jan. 9
Am. Shipbuilding pf.	1¾	Q	Feb. 1	Jan. 15
B. & O.	1¼	Q	Mar. 1	Jan. 15
Do pf.	1	Q	Mar. 1	Jan. 15
Bliss (E. W.) Co.	$2½	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Do 1st pf.	$1	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Do 2d pf.	150	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Canadian Cotton	2	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Do pf.	1¼	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Cen. Fdy.'s Morse pf.	$1.50	Q	Jan. 15	Dec. 31
Corn Exchange Bk.	5	Q	Feb. 1	Jan. 31
Dunbanks, Morse & Co.	$1	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Gen'l Fireproofing	50	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Do pf.	300	Ex	Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Do pf.	$1.75	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Gulf, Mobile & Nor pf.	1	Q	Feb. 15	Feb. 1
Harris Bros. pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 1	Jan. 11
Mackay-Nevada	200	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Magnolia Pet.	$1	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 22
Major Car	250	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 26
Do pf.	$1.75	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 26
Manning, Maxwell & Moore	1¾	Q	Jan. 5	Dec. 21
Mech. Metals Nat. Bk.	5	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 22
Do	2	Ex	Jan. 2	Dec. 22
Metropolitan Trust	4	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 21
Mich. G. & El. 7% pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 15	Dec. 31
Do 6% pf.	1½	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 31
Northern Pacific	1½	Q	Feb. 1	Dec. 31
Penn-Davis & Co.	$1	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Do	$1.50	Ex	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Peoples Trust	5	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Shaving Stick Hosp. pf.	2	Q	Dec. 31	
Sup. Nat. Ortg. pf.	2	Q	Feb. 1	Jan. 15
Whiting Hat Mfg. pf.	2	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Wm. Penn, Pa.	75	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 20
White R. M. Sod.	90c	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 26
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 26

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

COMSTOCK.		Hazzell	.03
Bait & Belcher	.02	Hush	.02
Caledar	.06	Marsa	.02
Concordia	.04	Myra	.04
Con. Virginia	.03	Silver King	.15
Gould & Curry	.03	Sutherland	.03
Hale & Norcross	.15	Wedge	.03
Jubilee	.15	Zone	.04
Mexican	.53	GOLDFIELD.	
Ophir	.03	Booth	.03
Savage	.02	Consolidated	.05
Union	.18	Development	.07
TONOPAH.		Florence	.06
Belmont	.80	Jumbo Extension	.03
Cash Boy	.04	Kewanaa	.03
Halifax	.15	Lone Star	.05
New California	.05	Silver Pick	.03
North Star	.06	Sandstorm	.03
Rescue	.06	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
Tonopah Belmont	1.45	Boundary Min.	.02
Tonopah Ex.	.10	Manhat. Amalg.	.02
West End	.03	Manhat. Consol.	.02
Mineral Hill	1.87½	DIVIDE.	
Aladdin	.03	Round Mountain	.32
Ames	.04	Fairview Min.	.15
Sen. Hyp.	.03	Sunset	.03
Divide Extension	.04	White Caps	.03
Extension	.03	United Oatman	.04

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Cresson	3¾	3¼	Mary McK.	1¼	2¾
Elkton	.005	1¼	Portland	56	61
Findley	.09	10	U. Gold M.	1¾	1¾
Hamilton Lee	3¾	4	Vindicator	1¾	2
Golden Cy.	1.06	.10	Rose Mead.	1¾	2¾
Gtd'n	2¾	12			

COTTON QUIETS DOWN IN HOLIDAY MARKET

Fluctuations Between Extremely Narrow Limits — Prices Unchanged to 22 Points Higher.

For the first time in many weeks, the cotton market quieted down throughout an entire session. Several times recently early appearances of diminishing excitement proved short-lived, either a buying or selling movement developing before the day was over. But for three hours yesterday fluctuations were confined within limits of 15 points and for the second successive session final prices were but little changed for the day. For the three days this week May closed at the same figure, 34.80. The outstanding feature proved to be the conspicuous absence of a repetition of the aggressive and concentrated buying of the two previous days. The volume of business diminished, waiting for the ginning report this morning and the winding up of the December position on Monday. Prices closed unchanged to an advance of 22 points.

For the first time in ten days, Liverpool made a very poor opening response to the rise in American markets the previous session. Though a sharp advance of 90 points had occurred here on Tuesday, initial quotations abroad showed a gain of only 10 to 15 points. But as the day wore on foreign prices rose rapidly, some months closing at a net advance of 50 English points and the top of the day. In fact, Liverpool became the strongest of the three markets after a tame start. Both New York and New Orleans opened about unchanged. Owing to the fact that trading in December contracts ceases at noon on the 24th instant and first notice day on January comes on the 20th instant, scattered liquidation appeared in both positions on the call. But when later months were reached cotton changed hands at an actual advance of 5 points on July, compared with a loss of 10 points on December. After halting a few moments, the persistent advance in Liverpool started a 30-point upturn, which carried May around 35¼ cents. Here the market met cotton, as proved the case on Tuesday, at the same level and trading quieted down rapidly.

It was not until the last hour that liquidation of contracts bought earlier in the week started wider fluctuations at a recession in prices. Liquidation and room selling ran May through 35 cents to 34.85, with a quick recovery of 20 points or more when execution of several large selling orders in final trading left May around 34.90. The production of linters to Nov. 30 amounted to 312,000 bales, against 295,000 last year. Linters for last season aggregated 664,000 bales, and the substantial increase in their value this year makes an even larger total than last season probable.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. day.
Dec.	34.95	35.45	34.95	35.27-28	35.06
Jan.	34.18	34.60	34.17	34.35-39	34.26
March	34.78	34.87	34.67	34.85-91	34.73
May	34.90	35.37	34.85	34.90-97	34.90
July	34.17	34.46	34.14	34.20-30	34.12
Oct.	33.40	33.85	33.40	33.47	33.33

The local market for spot cotton was steady, 20 points advance, to 35.70c for middling uplands.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston 34.45c, 10 points advance; New Orleans, 34.75c, 15 points decline; Savannah 33.88c, 4 points advance; Augusta 34.19c, 6 points advance; Memphis 34c, unchanged; Houston 34.40c, 5 points advance; Little Rock 34c, unchanged.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	37,778	58,470	17,883
Exports	5,000	56,900	1,341
Export's, season	3,094,524	2,760,823	3,421,153
N. Y. stocks	141,897	116,136	76,401
Ports stocks	1,016,716	1,054,990	1,097,121
N. Y. arrivals	5,558	1,553	5,008

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton dull, 17 points decline; 16.32d for middling. Sales, 5,000; American, 3,000. Imports 57,000; American 16,000. Futures opened quiet 10 to 15 points advance. Closed firm 32 to 52 points advance. Prices: Dec. 15.87d; January 15.82d; March, 15.85d; May, 15.94d; July, 15.80d. Manchester—Yarns dull; cloths, quiet.

RIFT MAY DISSOLVE COPPER ASSOCIATION

American Smelting's Proposal Opposed by Other Members of Export Organization.

SEEKS INDEPENDENT ACTION

Pays Cash for Ore From Small Mines and Wants Right to Sell Refined Product Separately.

Dissolution of the Copper Export Association is expected to be announced soon. Dissension has developed within the last month and the differences were discussed at a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which no decision was reached.

Those present at the meeting included John D. Ryan, Chairman of Directors, and C. F. Kelley, President of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company; Walter Douglas, President of the Phelps, Dodge Corporation; ex-Senator W. A. Clark, President of the United Verde Copper Company; Stephen Birch, President of the Kennecott Copper Company; F. H. Brownell, Vice President of the American Smelting and Refining Company; R. L. Agassiz, President of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company, and others prominent in the copper industry.

The difference of opinion regarding the policy of the Export Association arose about a month ago, when the American Smelting and Refining Company requested that it be permitted to handle its "toll" copper independently of the association. "Toll" copper is that which is taken over from small producers, refined and sold in the open market. To hold this supply pending its sale by the association, it was explained by one producer yesterday, might entail financial loss, as the small producer, who is always in need of ready cash to meet his expenses, is paid cash for his ore by the smelting company, although the refined product does not reach the market until long afterward. This is especially important on a declining market. Leaders in the trade declared yesterday that the position of the American Smelting and Refining Company was fully justified in the proposal it made to the Copper Export Association. If some plan is not worked out which will be agreeable to all concerned, it is considered likely that American Smelting will drop out of the association, which eventually would mean dissolution of the export organization.

Prominent copper men are opposed to dissolving the Export Association, on the ground that its existence acts as a stabilizer in the industry. It was formed shortly after the armistice, when the surplus of copper in the country was the greatest in history. At its formation the Export Association took over 400,000,000 pounds of copper which was earmarked for export and financed the carrying of this metal, through a sale of notes, pending its sale to foreign countries. The association functioned smoothly and the metal was sold long before the agreement expired. It now handles more than 60 per cent. of all copper exported from the United States.

Oil Companies Report Slump.

The Mexican Seaboard Oil Company and the International Petroleum Company showed a combined deficit of $170,564 for the first nine months of 1923 after the payment of all expenses, interest and a reserve for drilling, it was announced yesterday. Allowance was not made, however, for depletion and Federal taxes. This compares with a surplus of $5,229,167 after expenses and interest but before reserves for drilling, depletion and Federal taxes in the first nine months of 1922.

$38,400,000 ISSUE OF STOCK IS SOLD

Bankers Report 400,000 Preferred Shares of American and Foreign Power Oversubscribed at 96.

$7,500,000 BOND OFFERING

West Penn Power Securities Priced to Yield 5.85%—$4,200,000 for Milwaukee County, Wis.

Advance subscriptions to the offering planned for today of preferred and common stock of the newly incorporated American and Foreign Power Company were reported yesterday at noon to have exceeded the amount of stock to be sold. This announcement was made by Dillon, Read & Co., who were associated in the underwriting with the National City Company and White, Weld & Co.

The 400,000 shares of preferred stock were priced at $96 a share, a total transaction of $38,400,000. The company also has sold all of its authorized 120,000 shares of second preferred stock to the Electric Bond and Share Company, which organized the new American and Foreign Power Company, Inc. Purchasers of the preferred stock receive one share of no par common with each share of preferred stock, this plan distributing 400,000 shares of the common. The balance of the total of 520,000 shares of common is held by the Electric Bond and Share Company.

Both the preferred and second preferred stocks, it is stated, are on a 7 per cent. cumulative dividend basis. The preferred has preference over all other classes of stock as to dividends and assets on liquidation and is callable on thirty days' notice at 110. The cumulative feature will go into effect starting Jan. 1 next. The subscription plan calls for a 25 per cent. cash payment, the balance subject to calls from the company at intervals of not less than four months and in amount ranging at no time to more than 10 per cent. of the subscription price. Purchasers are privileged to pay for their stock in full at any time.

A new issue of $7,500,000 West Penn Power Company first mortgage 5½ per cent. gold bonds, Series F, due in 1953, Trust Company of Pittsburgh and W. A. Harriman & Co., Inc. The bonds are is offered at 95¼ to yield 5.85 per cent. by Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., the Union redeemable at 107½ to Oct. 1, 1928; at 106½ to 1933; at 105½ to 1938; at 103½ to 1943, and thereafter at par. The company is controlled by the American Water Works and Electric company, Inc., and supplies electricity to 364 communities in and around Pittsburgh.

Offering of $4,200,000 Milwaukee County, Wis., 4¾ per cent. Metropolitan sewerage bonds due serially on June 1 from 1924 to 1943 is made by A. E. Leach & Co., Inc., Lee, Higginson & Co., Northern Trust Company, Curtis & Sanger, A. G. Becker & Co., Keane, Higbie & Co., Taylor, Ewart & Co., Paine, Weber & Co., Blodget & Co., the Merrick Company and the Detroit Company, Inc. The bonds are priced to yield from 4.50 to 4.60 per cent.

A syndicate composed of Estabrook & Co., W. A. Harriman & Co., Inc., Remick, Hodges & Co., Curtis & Sanger, Blodget & Co. and Hannahs, Ballin & Lee is offering a new issue of $3,275,000 City of Richmond, Va., 4½ per cent. coupon bonds dated Jan. 1 next, and maturing on Jan. 1, 1958. Principal and interest are payable in New York. The offering price is 99½, the bonds yielding approximately 4.55 per cent.

A. E. Leach & Co. and A. C. Allyn & Co. are offering a new issue of $1,900,000 Northwestern Public Service Company first mortgage 6½ per cent. gold bonds, Series A, due Dec. 1, 1948, at 98, to yield more than 6.65 per cent. The company owns and operates public utility properties in South Dakota and Nebraska.

The new issue of $5,000,000 American Furniture Mart Building Corporation of Chicago 5½ per cent. leasehold 6% per cent. sinking fund gold bonds, which is to be offered soon, will be priced at par, it was learned yesterday. The bonds are dated Dec. 1, 1923, and mature Dec. 1, 1943.

The offering of two new issues is made today by J. S. Rippel & Co., the larger consisting of $1,000,000 State of New Jersey 4½ per cent. road and bridge bonds, due Jan. 1, 1934-1939 and 1954, and priced at 99½ to yield approximately 4.55 per cent.; the other of $400,000 Belleville, Essex County, N. J., temporary and tax revenue bonds due September, October, November and December, 1924, at prices to yield 5 per cent.

E. H. Rollins & Sons and F. L. Carlisle & Co., Inc., are offering an additional issue of $1,158,000 Northern New York Utilities, Inc., first lien and refund 6 per cent. bonds, Series C, due May 1, 1943. The bonds are priced at 90 to yield about 6.10 per cent.

The sale of a new issue of $1,678,000 Mobile & Ohio Railroad Company 5 per cent. equipment trust certificates, Series M, was announced by Clark, Dodge & Co.

The award of $1,000,000 City of Philadelphia bonds to A. E. Leach & Co., Inc., was announced.

The State of New Jersey has awarded $3,000,000 of 10-year and $5,000,000 of 1 to 30-year road bonds to more than 100 banks which submitted bids. The Trust Company of New Jersey was the largest bidder.

Chandler Production 17,300 Cars.

Production of the Chandler Motor Car Company for 1923 will be about 17,300 cars, according to figures made public at the annual meeting of distributers handling the company's output, held in Cleveland. This output is the largest for any year in the history of the company.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds issued in this country and in American currency values:

	Bid.	Asked.
Argentine 5s, 1945	M.&S.	83¾ 84
Argentine 7s, 1927	F.&A.	101¾ 102
Austrian Gov. 7s, 1943	J.&D.	87¼ 87¾
Belgium 6s, 1925	J.&D.	97 97¼
Belgium 7½s, 1945	J.&D.	97¾ 98¼
Belgium 8s, 1941	F.&A.	97¾ 98¼
Brazil Cent. Rys. 7s, 1952	J.&D.	73½ 75
Canada 5, 6, 7s, 1926	M.&N.	99¾ 100
Canada 5, 6, 7s, 1945	M.&N.	103¼ 103¾
City of Berne 6s, 1945	M.&N.	108¾ 109
City of Bordeaux 6s, 1934	M.&N.	76¼ 76¾
City of St. Etienne 7s, 1942	J.&J.	76½ 77½
City of P. Alegre 8s, 1961	J.&D.	93 93¾
U. S. of Brazil 6s, 1941	J.&D.	95 95¾
U. S. of Brazil 7½s, 1952	A.&O.	96 96¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1925	A.&O.	99½ 99¾
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1926	F.&A.	100¾ 101
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	A.&O.	99¾ 99¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1952	M.&N.	99¼ 99¾
Dom. Am Line 6s, 1942	M.&N.	103¼ 103¾
Rep. of Cuba 5½s, 1944	M.&S.	99¾ 100
Rep. of Chile 7s, 1942	M.&N.	94 94¼
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1941	F.&A.	104 104½
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1928	J.&D.	102½ 102¾
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1946	M.&N.	103¾ 104¼
Rep. of Haiti 6s, 1952	J.&D.	85 88
Chinese Gov. 5s, 1951	J.&D.	41 45
City of Christiania 8s	15.A.&O.	100¾ 101¾
City of Copenhagen 5½s, '44	J.&J.	87¾ 88¾
City of Montevideo 7s, 1952	M.&N.	88½ 89
Oscheslovak Rep. 8s, 1951	A.&O.	93¾ 94
Rep. of Bolivia S. F. 8s, '47	M.&N.	98¼ 98½
Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	M.&S.	94 95¼
Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1949	F.&A.	91½ 92
Rep. Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	F.&A.	81 82½
Rep. of Cuba 5½s, 1953	J.&J.	90¾ 91
Rep. of Sal. 8s		100 101¾
Denmark 8s, 1945	A.&O.	107¾ 108
Denmark 6s, 1942	J.&J.	93¾ 94
Danish Mun. 8s, Ser. A, '46	F.&A.	106¾ 107¼
Danish Mun. 8s, Ser. B, '48	F.&A.	106¾ 107
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1947	J.&J.	105¾ 106
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1962	M.&S.	94½ 94¾
Dutch E. Indies 5½s, 1953	M.&S.	90 90¾
Framerican Ind. & Dev. Th4s, 1942	J.&J.	86¾ 87
French Gov. 7½s, 1941	J.&D.	92½ 93¾
French Gov. 8s, 1945	M.&S.	96½ 96¾
Italy 6½s, 1925	F.&A.	98½ 98¾
Japanese 4s, 1931	J.&J.	80¾ 80¾
Japanese 4½s, 1925	A.&O.	83¾ 83¾
Japanese 4½s, 2d Ser., 1925	J.&J.	82¼ 82¾
Oriental Dev. 6s, 1953	M.&S.	88 88¾
Jurgens U. M. Wks. 8s, '47	J.&J.	78¼ 78¾
City of Lyons 6s, 1934	M.&N.	76¼ 76¾
City of Marseilles 6s, 1934	M.&N.	76¼ 76¾
City of Soissons 6s, 1936	M.&N.	80 81¾
U. S. of Mexico 5s, 1954	J.&D.	26½ 27
U. S. of Mexico 5s, 1945	Q.Jan.	25¾ 26¼
Mexican Irrigation 4½s, '43	M.&N.	29 30¾
Kingdom of Neth. 6s, 1972	M.&S.	95¾ 96
Kingdom of Norway 6s, '40	A.&O.	111¾ 111¾
Kingdom of Norway 6s, '50	A.&O.	98¼ 98¾
Kingdom of Norway 6s, '43	F.&A.	93 93¾
Kingdom of Serbs, C. & S. 8s, 1962	M.&N.	85 85¼
Paris-Lyons-Med. 6s, 1958	F.&A.	69¾ 69¾
Paulista Ry. 7s, 1942	M.&S.	95 96¼
State of Queensland 6s, '47	F.&A.	100¾ 101
State of Queensland 7s, '41	A.&O.	104½ 105
State of Rio Gr. do Sul 8s, 1946	A.&O.	92 94
Rio de Janeiro 8s, 1946	A.&O.	85 86¾
Rio de Janeiro 8s, 1947	A.&O.	86 88¾
Dominican Republic 5s, '58	F.&A.	100¾ 101
Dominican Rep. 5½s, 1942	M.&S.	85¾ 86
State of Sao Paulo 8s, '36	J.&J.	96½ 97
City of Sao Paulo 8s, 1952	M.&N.	86¾ 87
Dept. of the Seine 7s, 1942	J.&J.	82¾ 83¾
Kingdom of Sweden 6s, '39	J.&D.	104¼ 104¾
Swiss Confederation 8s, '40	J.&J.	111¾ 112¾
City of Tokio 5s	M.&S.	62¾ 64
Rep. of Uruguay 8s, 1946	F.&A.	103 103¾
City of Zurich 6s, 1945	A.&O.	110 110¾
United Kingdom 5½s, 1929	F.&A.	109 109¾
United Kingdom 5½s, 1937	F.&A.	100¾ 100¾
U. S. B. Copenhagen 8s, '47	J.&J.	86 86¾

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	103¾	103¾	Pan Sa. r. 1936	102¾	103¾
2s, c, 1930	103¾	103¾	Pan Sa. r.	92½	93
4s, r, 1925	101¾	101¾	Pan Sa. c. 1961	92½	93
4s, r, 1925	101¾	102¼			
4s, r, 1925	101¾	102¼			
4s, c, 1925	101¾	102¼			
Pan Sa. r. 1936	103¾	103¾			

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adams Ex.	74	75	Bayuk Cig 1st pf.	93½	98¼
Air Red.	66¼	67	Do 2d pf.	105	
Alb & Sus.	186		Beech-Nut Pk.	100	
All Am Cables	99	100	Bi'mt Bk.	52	60
Alle & W.	95		Bi'mt pf.	107	
Allt Rty.	101		Bkln F Sts 1st pf.	105	
Amal S 1st pf.	100¾		Booth Fish	3	
Am Bk Sup pf.	96	98	1st pf.	34	39
Am H Sup pf.	71¼	76	Blumenthal pf.	90	93½
Am H & L Pfd	74	75	Brit W Sil pf.	3¾	5¾
Do pf.	104	107½	Do 1st pf	80½	82½
Am Chicle pf.	98	99	Do 2d pf.	12½	15
Am Coal.	65		B Un Gas.	113	116
Am H & L pf.	7	9	Brown Bk.	43	52½
Am Ice pf.	79¼	80	Do pf.	90	91
Am La pf.	7		Bruns Ter.	8	1¾
Am Lt & Tr pf.	94		B. R & P pf.	60	80
Am L pf.	32¼	33	Buff & S.	160	160
Am Maid pf.	120	125	Do pf.	104	105
Am Roll M pf.	99	99½	Burns Bros	90	102
Am Sil pf.	101	102	Do pf.	90	97
Am Snf. pf.	40	46	Bush Ter.	65	75
Am Tob.	146¾	150¾	B T Bldg.	85	
Am Type F pf.	60	65	Butt'k Co.	16¾	19¾
Am Wr Pap pf.	80	90	Cal & Ari.	48	54
Am Writ pf.	102		Can Sc.	53	
Amoskeag pf.	98		Cass Boiler	7	9
Anchor C pf.	100	105	Case, J. I.	16	19
Ark Nat Gas A	2	3	Do pf.	87	89
Asso Dry G pf.	40	45	Cent Mills	28	30¾
Atl Fruit pf.	115¾		Do pf.	90	97½
Atlas Pdr.	52	54	C R of Cuba pf.	34	37
Do pf.	75	87	Chi. Pn. T.	83	88
Bald L pf.	110	111	Do pf.	75	77
Bal Loath pf.	90	95	M & Com	75	79
Barnsdall pf.	80	85	Chi. G. A.	2	3
Barp M.	94	96	Chi Ind Loan	105	110

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cl & Pitts pf.	86	88½	Nat C & S.	55	62¾
Do spec.	94		Nat Surety	160	165
Clu-P pf.	103	104¾	Nat Enam.	40	41
Coca-Cola	173¾	175	Do pf.	93	96
Do pf.	93	95	Nat Ld pf.	109¾	111¾
Col F & T pf.	94	105	Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	3	6
C & S 1st pf.	47	50	Do 2d pf.	1¾	3
Do 2d pf.	35	45	Nat Sup pf.	102¾	105
Com S. B.	35¼	38	N'pt N & H R G & E.	45	55
Con Cigar pf.	90	96½	N Y A B pf.	47	48
Cons Dist.		4	N Y Can pf.	90	92½
Cent O pf.	106	108	Do Dock	115	118
Cont Ins.	93	94½	Do pf.	45	47
Corn F R pf.	119¾	122	Nia L & O pf.	101¾	
Cosden pf.	90	93	N Y L & West pf.	55	59½
Crex Carp.	30	35	N Y Ship.	16	17
Cub. R. R. pf.	74	80	N Y S Rys pf.		51
Cuban D S pf.	46	47	N Y Power pf.		
D F & Lt. pf.	70		Nort So.	12	15
Do pf.	63		Nov Mach	15	15¼
De H M.	18¾	20¾	Nov R.	15	15¼
Det & M. pf.	32		Nunnally	5¼	6
Do pf.	85		Onyx Hos'y pf.	25	34
Dia Match	113		Owens Bot pf.	108	114
Douglas P.	11¾	12¼	Pac Coast.	17	21
D. S S & A pf.	3	3¼	Do 1st pf.	35	45
Do pf.	13	15	Do 2d pf.	5	6¼
Du P Oil.	98	98¾	P & Tel. pf.	85	90
Dug Lt 1st pf.	102¾	103	Do pf.	92	93
Dur Hos'y pf.	53	60	Pack M C pf.	92¼	93¼
E Kod pf.	108		Do pf.	25	27½
End-J pf.	111¾	113	P & Rich. pf.	100	105
Erie & P. pf.	52¼		Pa Ed pf.	100	105
Exch Bfrel. pf.	30	33	Pa Lt & P. pf.	28	29
Fairbanks pf.	3	4	Penney pf.	101	
F M & S pf.	9	10¾	Peo & E. pf.	6¼	10¼
Fid-P T pf.	111	113	Pere M pf.	71	71¾
Fisher Bdy.	166	174	Phil Co. pf.	67¾	68¼
F B C. pf.	97	99	Do pf.	45¼	48¼
Foundat'n pf.	65¾	68	Ph-J pf.	65	69
Gardner M pf.	5	5¼	Pitts Ry's pf.	29	32
Gen Asph pf.	65	69½	Do pf.	91¾	97
Gen Bak's pf.	82¼	95	P. O & G pf.		
Do pf.	110¼		Pitts Coal pf.	98	99¾
Gen Cig pf.	109	108¾	P. Ft W & C pf.	125	
Gen Refrac pf.	52½	53½	Do pf.	128	140
Gen M pf.	81	82	Pitts Ut pf.	10	15
Gimbel Bros pf.	48	49½	Pitts Ut pf.	10	10¾
Do pf.	88¼	90	P & W Va. pf.	33¾	39
G'rich pf.	75	78	Do pf.	85	85½
G T & R pf.	90	91	Pratt-m Cor pf.	109	111
Granby C. pf.	14¾	14¾	Pr Sil Car pf.	81¾	83
Gray & D. p

STEEL MILLS SEE BRISK CONSUMPTION

Bookings for This Month Surpass the Industry's Anticipations.

FORD ORDERS 50,000 TONS

Producers Are Hopeful of Maintaining Present Pace Throughout Next Quarter.

Steel bookings for December exceeded expectations and approximated the November rate, according to the weekly market summary of Iron Age. At the same time, The Iron Trade Review pointed out that "the gratifying aspect of this business from the mills' standpoint is the increased tonnage called for by individual buyers, indicating that heavy consumption is anticipated."

The summary of Iron Age said:

"Interest has centred in the contracts of the Ford Motor Company, which for the past week are put at close to 50,000 tons, including sheets. It is understood that its inquiries for 70,000 tons of bars have not yet developed concessions from the 2.40 cents price. At Cleveland a manufacturer of automobile parts has bought 12,000 tons of carbon steel and 3,000 tons of silicon-manganese steel.

"More than 35,000 tons of fabricated steel have been put under contract in the past week, two of the largest awards being 6,500 tons for an office building in Cleveland and 5,000 tons for a bridge at Perth Amboy, N. J., both going to the Bethlehem Steel Company. Pending projects call for more than 25,000 tons.

"At Chicago the chief feature in railroad buying was the placing of 102,500 tons of rails and 25,000 tons of track supplies by the Santa Fe system. Of the rails, 70,000 tons went to the Colorado mill. In track supplies the New York Central order for 75,000 kegs of spikes is outstanding."

The Iron Trade Review, summarizing the conditions in the steel industry, said:

"Producers feel more sanguine over their ability to maintain the present rate of operations throughout the first quarter of 1924. Tin plate mills of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company this week are running at the highest point of the year.

"The Steel Corporation has reaffirmed for the first quarter the $42.50 base Pittsburgh price on semi-finished steel. Some independents have followed suit. A Cleveland producer sold 150,000 tons of sheet bars, billets and slabs for the second quarter."

Cities Service Earnings Up.

Net earnings of the Cities Service Company for the twelve months ended Nov. 30 amounted to $16,074,609, as compared with $14,125,234 for the same period last year. Net earnings for November were $1,143,132, against $1,011,711 in the same month of 1922.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Bankers Trust Company announces that on Jan. 2, 1924, it will make a distribution on National Conduit and Cable Company, Inc., first mortgage 6 per cent. ten-year sinking fund gold bonds at the rate of $217.37 per $1,000 bond. This distribution is to made out of proceeds of sale of the mortgaged property. It is expected that later in 1924 the bond holders will receive their distribution share, under a deficiency judgment, along with other directors.

A. L. Fuller & Co. have prepared a special letter on American Can Company showing comparative earnings since 1914 and the prospects of larger returns to stockholders.

Lindemann & Co., 111 Broadway, are offering subject to prior sale a block of 7 per cent. cumulative preferred stock of the West Virginia Utilities Company.

John Nickerson Co. announce that Fred C. Hahnel, formerly with George B. Robinson & Co., has become identified with their retail sales department.

The Guaranty Trust Company of New York announces that its trust department will be prepared on Dec. 26, 1923, to deliver definitive Metropolitan Edison Company first and refunding mortgage gold bonds, Series B, due Feb. 1, 1952, having coupons No. 4, due Feb. 1, 1924, and subsequent attached, in exchange for outstanding temporary bonds of this issue.

Ward, Gruver & Co. have issued a circular on the copper industry containing an analysis of twenty-two of the principal copper producing companies of the Western Hemisphere.

The American Trust Company has been appointed corporate trustee for the $3,000,000 7 per cent. twelve-year guaranteed sinking fund gold bonds, due 1935, to be issued by the Gulf Coast Refining Company.

$75,000 BOND FORGERY.

New York Firm Unknowingly Handled $13,000 Worth of Them.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Two alleged members of a gang which has sold thousands of dollars' worth of forged public utility bonds in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago were arrested last night, and other arrests are to follow, according to the police.

Alfred Marshall, arrested here, is said by the police to have been named as an accomplice by a man arrested yesterday in New York in an elaborate suite in the Biltmore Hotel, and who is alleged to have confessed.

The gang is charged by Department of Justice operatives with obtaining a large block of blank bonds of the American Public Service Company, of a face value of nearly $75,000, and after forging registration, selling them to brokerage concerns.

The forged bonds are said to have passed through numerous brokers who were ignorant of the forgeries which only were disclosed when purchasers attempted to cash the coupons. Bonds of the amount of about $13,000 passed through Cameron, Blaikie & Co., in New York, it was learned.

Cameron, Blaikie & Co. said that after having passed through the hands of several brokers, twenty-six of the bonds with a face value of $500 each, finally reached their company for sale. After the usual investigation, Mr. Blaikie said, the bonds were declared all right and sold by his firm to Pask & Wallbridge, in Wall Street. This firm, in turn, sold the bonds to individuals.

Missouri Pacific Buys Terminal.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad has acquired the terminal properties of the Kansas City Northwestern Railway at Kansas City. These properties include twenty-two acres of land, seven miles of trackage and a small depot, besides several switch tracks and a bridge over the Kaw River. At the New York office of the company it was stated that no information would be given concerning the details of the transaction before the return of William H. Williams, Chairman of the Executive Committee, who is in Denver.

Pere Marquette Traffic.

Summing up the transportation situation in its territory, the Pere Marquette Railway statement says: "Automobile business continues good, with indications for only a very brief holiday lull; movement of grain from the Northwest is becoming stronger; hay shipments strong, but a light potato movement and a plentiful supply of cars are the outstanding points in the Pere Marquette Railway traffic for the second week in December."

Wool Prices Steady at London.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A moderate selection amounting to 11,746 bales was offered at the wool auction today. There was a steady demand and previous prices were maintained. The sales will close tomorrow.

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TIMES INTEREST EARNED

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* First four months of Current Fiscal Year

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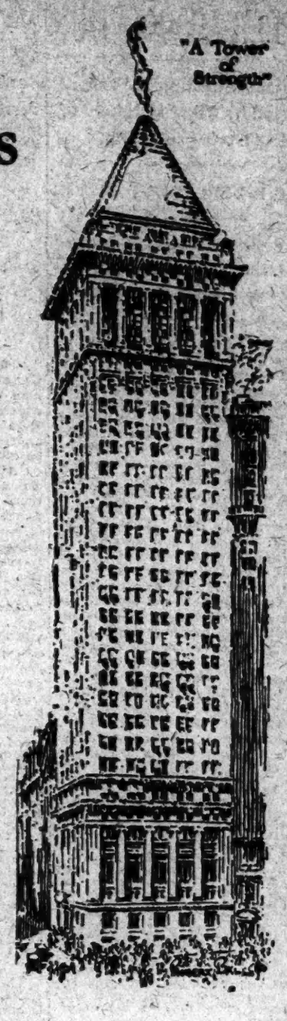

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WHEAT GOES LOWER AS CORN ADVANCES

Interest in Grain Markets Light and Fluctuations Are Within Narrow Range.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO Dec. 19.—Interest in the grain markets is light and fluctuations are limited. Highest prices on wheat were made early and the lowest around the close with net losses of ⅛ to ¼ cent. Cash prices were unchanged, with export business 250,000 bushels of wheat, all Manitobas, and rumors of more, and 400,000 bushels of corn, from Minneapolis.

Millers were good sellers of wheat in the Minneapolis market and futures were off ⅝ cent. Winnipeg was easy, although losses were only ⅛ cent. There were deliveries of 441,000 bushels of cash wheat at Winnipeg and 50,000 bushels at Chicago.

Flour business was dull and discouraging, as it usually is around the holidays, but of late dullness has featured the milling industry. The movement is decidedly under last year's and cash premiums are well maintained, while exports continue light.

Shorts were good buyers of December corn and it advanced to 72½ cents, with the close at 71¾ cents, a gain of ¼ cent, while other months were ¼ cent higher to ⅛ cent lower.

Predictions were for rain over a good part of the corn belt States, which may delay the movement, but huskings are nearly finished in some States, while 10 to 22 per cent. is said to be unfinished in others.

There were reports that farmers were selling less corn in the Northwest, while in the Middle West they are doing little in the way of selling. Receipts here, however, were 271 cars, with shipping sales of 80,000 bushels. Cash prices were ⅛ to 1 cent higher, but lost the advance on the withdrawal of the industries who were the best buyers early in the day.

Oats are being accumulated in a moderate way by commission houses and cash interests were buying December. Primary receipts of 800,000 bushels were 34,000 bushels below shipments. The close was ¼ cent lower for the day on December and ⅛ cent higher on May. Rye was picked up by cash interests, despite the deliveries of 108,000 bushels on December trades.

Primary receipts of wheat today were 1,357,000 bushels, last year 1,225,000 bushels. Shipments today were 611,000, last year 687,000.

Corn receipts were 1,545,000 bushels, last year 1,978,000, and shipments, 862,000 bushels, last year 494,000.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.	Year.	Last
Dec.	$1.05⅛	$1.04⅛	$1.05⅛	$1.04⅜	$1.31⅛	$1.31⅛
May	1.07¾	1.06⅞	1.07¾	1.06⅞	1.34⅜	1.34⅜
July	1.07¾	1.06⅞	1.07¾	1.06⅞	1.13⅜	1.13⅜

CORN.

Dec.	72¼	71⅝	71⅞	71⅜	58⅞	58⅞
May	74⅜	73⅝	73⅞	73⅜	67⅜	67⅜
July	75¼	74⅝	74⅞	74⅜	70⅜	70⅜

OATS.

Dec.	42⅜	42¼	42¼	42¼	41⅜	41⅜
May	43⅞	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜
July	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜

RYE.

May	74½	74¼	74⅜	74¼	91¼	91¼

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Jan.	12.17	12.10	12.15	12.10	10.25	
Mar.	11.35	12.17	12.17	.....	10.50	

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

(Quoted on a percentage basis.)

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Atlantic Coast L.	1924-35	6	5.65	5.35
Do	1924-36	6½	5.55	5.30
Baltimore & Ohio	1924-38	4½,5,5½	5.60	5.35
Do	1924-35	6	5.80	5.50
Bethlehem Steel	1924-32	7	6.75	6.00
Boston & Albany	1923-27	4½	5.50	5.30
B., R. & P.	1923-38	4½,5,6	5.50	5.25
Canadian Nor.	1923-29	6	5.85	5.50
Canadian Pacific	1923-32	4½,6	5.50	5.25
C. R. R. of N. J.	1924-33	6	5.35	5.15
Do	1924-33	6	5.50	5.35
Cen. of Georgia	1924-38	5	5.60	5.35
Chesapeake & O.	1923-38	5,5½,6½	5.55	5.35
Do	1924-32	6	5.70	5.45
Chi., Bur. & Q.	1924-35	6	5.65	5.50
Chi., M. & St. P.	1924-38	5,5½	6.25	5.85
Do	1924-34	5	6.30	5.90
Chi. & N. W.	1924-37	6	5.70	5.40
Do	1924-38	5,5½	5.80	5.30
Chi., R. I. & P.	1923-38	4½,5	5.70	5.35
Do	1924-34	6	5.87	5.50
C., St. P., M. & O.	1924-31	6	5.70	5.35
C., C., C. & St. L.	1924-29	5	5.55	5.30
Do	1924-35	6	5.70	5.40
Col. & Southern	1924-35	6	5.75	5.45
Del. & Hudson	1924-28	6	5.55	5.35
Erie Railroad	1924-38	5,5½,6	6.25	5.85
Fruit Grow. Ex.	1924-33	5,5½	5.70	5.35
Gt. Northern Ry.	1924-38	5	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-36	6	6.05	5.40
Hocking Valley	1924-35	6	5.80	5.50
Do	1924-35	6	5.85	5.50
Illinois Central	1923-38	4½,5,5½	5.45	5.30
Do	1923-36	6½,7	5.50	5.30
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.45
Kansas City So.	1924-39	5½	5.65	5.35
Do	1924-35	6	5.75	5.40
Long Island	1924-32	6	5.80	5.40
Louisv. & Nash.	1924-40	4½,5,5½	5.50	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.35
Michigan Central	1923-31	5	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-39	6	5.70	5.40
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	1923-38	4½,5	5.75	5.40
Do	1924-34	6,6½,7	5.85	5.45
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1924-36	6	5.85	5.50
Missouri Pacific	1924-38	5	6.15	5.75
Do	1924-36	6½	6.10	5.60
Nat. Steel Car L.	1923-28	5	7.85	6.70
N. Y. Central	1923-38	4½,5	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.40
Do	1924-35	7	5.55	5.35
N. Y., C. & St. L.	1924-38	4½,5	5.55	5.35
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1922-43	4½,5,6,7	7.00	6.00
Norfolk & Wstn.	1924-31	4½,5,5½,6	5.35	5.15
Northern Pacific	1924-32	4½,7	5.50	5.25
Pac. Fruit Ex.	1925-35	7	5.50	5.35
Penna. R. R.	1924-38	5	5.35	5.25
Do	1924-38	6	5.60	5.35
Pere Marquette	1924-35	6	5.90	5.50
Pitts. & L. E.	1923-35	6½	5.55	5.35
Reading Co.	1923-37	4½,5,6	5.35	5.10
Sheb. & Wstn.	1923-37	4½,5,5½,6	5.35	5.15
So. Pacific	1924-39	4½,5	5.40	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.60	5.35
Do	1924-37	7	5.50	5.35
Southern Railway	1924-38	4½,5,5½	5.55	5.35
Do	1924-35	6	5.75	5.50
St. L.-San Fran.	1923-27	5	5.75	5.45
Do	1924-35	6	5.90	5.55
St. L. S. Wn.	1923-38	4½,5,5½	5.75	5.45
Union Pacific	1924-38	5	5.45	5.25
Virginian Ry.	1924-38	5½	5.70	5.50
Do	1924-35	6	5.85	5.50
Wabash Railroad	1924-39	6	6.10	5.75
West. Maryland	1923-37	5,6,7	6.35	5.90
Western Pacific	1924-38	5	6.10	5.75
Wheeling & L. E.	1924-27	5	6.10	5.70
Do	1924-35	6	6.20	5.75

FOREIGN SECURITIES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.
Arg. (unlisted)	6	Sept., 1945	77	77
Arg. (recission)	6	1945	62	64
Belgium Prem.	5	1926	97	99
Belgian (restor'n)	6	Sept., 1934	37½	37¾
Buenos Aires	6½	1960	41	43
Brazil	4	1883	37	39
Brazil	4	1889	35	37
Brazil	5	1910	34	36
Brazil	8	1919	92	94
British Victory	4	Sept., 1919	78¾	80¾
British Fund	4	Mar., 1969	70	73
Brit. Nat. W. S.	5	Oct., 1927	91⅛	93⅛
Brit. Nat. W. S.	5	1947-29	84⅜	86⅜
Brit. Nat. W. S.	5	1928	92¼	94¼
Brit. Exchequer	5½	1925	98	99
Canada	5	1937	99⅝	100⅜
Canada	5½	Nov., 1952	102¼	103
Chile 1st	6	1911	67	70
City of Pelotas	6	1911	48	51
Colombia	6	1961	62	66
Costa Rica	7	1911	60	62
Cuba	6	1920	96	98
French Govt. Vic.	5	Jan., 1931	34½	36½
French Loan	4	1917	28½	30½
French Loan	5	1920	42½	44½
French Loan	6	1920	41½	43½
Italian War Loan	5	1925	30½	32½
Mid. Railroad	4	1960	41	43
Paris-Orleans R.R.	6	1968	41	43
Russ. external	5½	Dec., 1921	6¼	7¼
Do (Nat. City Bank ctfs.)			7¾	8¾
Russ. external	6½	Dec., 1919	8½	9½
Do (Nat. City Bank ctfs.)			8¾	9¾
Russ. rubin bonds	5½	Feb., 1926	¾	1¼
Russ. rentes of '84	3		3	4
Sweden	6	June, 1939	104	104½
Switzerland	5½	Aug., 1919	97¼	98¼
Uruguay	5	1919	66	68

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack P. & L. 5s	1939	97½	98½
American Power & Lt. 6s	2016	91¾	92¼
American Gas & Electric 6s	2014	89½	90½
Appalachian Power 1st 5s	1941	89	90½
Cities Service deb B		103	
Cities Service deb C		99¼	
Cities Service deb D		87½	88½
Clarion River fltg.	1947	100½	101¼
Columbus Elec. & Power 6s	1947	99	100
Colorado Power 1st 5s	1953	93	97
Consumers' Power 5s	1952	93	97
Cont. Ohio. E. P. & L. 5s	1953	89	90
East Texas Electric 6s	1942	90	92
El Paso Electric 5s	1949	90	92
Galveston-Houston 5s	1933	94	96
General Gas & Electric 7s	1952	99	103
Houston Electric 1st 5s	1933	97½	99
Lehigh Power Sec. 6s	1952	99	100
Mississippi River Power 5s	1951	91½	93
Mississippi River Power 7s	1938	100½	101¼
Nebraska Power 1st 5s	1947	90½	92
N. Y. Gas & Electric 5s	1952	91	93
Northern States Power 6s	1941	100	101
Northern Texas Elec. 5s	1940	89	91
Penn. Public Service 6s	1929	97	98
Penn. Public Service 6½s	1938	97	98
Penn. Public Service 6s	1947	97½	98
Puget Sound P. & L. 7½s	1941	104	105½
Savannah Elec. & P. 7½s	1942	103	105
Seattle Electric 6s	1936	97	99
Standard Gas & Electric 6s	1935	86	90½
Standard Gas & Electric 6s	1958	86½	
Tampa Electric 5s	1952	91½	93½
Utah Light & Traction 5s	1944	91	93
Western States G. & E. 5s	1941	89	92

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

		Yester-day. Bid.	Yester-day. Asked.	Tues-day. Bid.
4½s	December, 1971	103⅝	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	July, 1967	103	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	June, 1965	103	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	March, 1963	103	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	May, 1957	103	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	November, 1957	103	104⅜	103⅝
4½s	April, 1972	103	103⅝	103
4½s	April, 1963	103	103⅝	103
4½s	March, 1954	103	103⅝	103
4½s	March, 1963	103	103⅝	103
4½s	September, 1960	103	103⅝	103
4½s	March, 1960-30	103	103⅝	103
4s	May, 1961	98	99	98
4s	November, 1955	97	98	97
4s	May, 1957	96	97	96
4s	November, 1958	96	97	96
4½s	March, 1964	97½	98	97½
4½s	November, 1957	97	98	97
4½s	November, 1964	97	98	97

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

4½s	1940-1949	1.25	1.25	1.25
4½s	1959-1959	1.25	1.25	1.25
4½s	1957-1957	1.25	1.25	1.25

SUGAR STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.	Yester-day.	Tues-day.
Caracas Sugar	18¾	19	13	
Central Aguirre	32	32	32	
Fajardo	103¾	107¾	103¾	103¾
Federal Sugar	61	65	67	67
Godchaux			10	
Do pf.			35	
Holly	32	35	30	30
Do pf.	83	88	87	87
National	32	35	30	30
New Niquero	17	20	100	95
Savannah	73½	75½	74	74
Do pf.	94	96	95	95
Sugar Est. of Oriente pf.	36	38	35	35

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack Power & Light	19¾	20¾
Adirondack Power & Light pf.	85	95
American Gas & Electric	42¾	43¼
American Gas & Electric pf.	113	116
American Light & Traction	118	126
American Light & Traction pf.	92	94
American Power & Light	18¾	17¾
American Power & Light pf.	73	75
American Public Utilities	35	40
American Public Utilities pf.	72	75
Appalachian Power	26	28
Appalachian Power pf.	84	86
Arkansas Light & Power	73	76
Carolina Power & Light	13	16
Cities Service	138¾	141½
Cities Service pf.	68¾	69¾
Cities Service B	94	97
Cities Service, bankers' shares	14¾	14¾
Colorado Power	19	22
Columbus Elec. & Power 1st pf.	110	
Columbus Elec. & Power 2d pf.	82	85
Commonwealth Power Corp. pf.	70	70½
Commonwealth Pow., Ry. & L.	36	38
Consumers' Power pf.	85	87
Connecticut Power pf.	94	
Eastern Texas Electric	105	107
Eastern Texas Electric pf.	81	
El Paso Electric	132	135
Electric Bond & Share	97	97½
Empire Gas & Fuel pf.	94	96
Federal Light & Traction	72	75
Federal Light & Traction pf.	75	78
General Gas & Electric pf. A.	97	101½
Galveston-Houston Electric	11	14
Galveston-Houston Electric pf.	42	
Lehigh Power Securities	24	25½
Mississippi River Power	23	24
Mississippi River Power pf.	60	63
National Power & Light	90	93
National Power & Light pf.	82½	84½
Northern Ohio Electric	6½	7½
Northern Ohio Electric pf.	19½	21½
Northern Ontario L. & P.	7	9
Northern Ontario L. & P. pf.	70	71¾
Northern States Power	97	101
Northern States Power pf.	92	
Northern Texas Electric	53	62
Northern Texas Electric pf.	87	91
Oklahoma Gas & Electric pf.	98	102
Pacific Gas & Electric	87½	88½
Pennsylvania Edison pf.	98	102
Puget Sound Power & Light	43¾	46¾
Puget Sound Pow. & Lt. 7% pf.	78	81
Republic Railway & Light	14½	15¾
Republic Railway & Light pf.	38	39
Southern California Edison	100¾	101½
Southern California Edison pf.	114	117
Standard Gas & Electric	27	28¼
Standard Gas & Electric pf.	47	48
Tampa Electric Power	140	
Tennessee Electric Power	15	17
Tennessee Elec. Pow. 1st 7% pf.	71	74½
Tennessee Elec. Pow. 2d 6% pf.	46	48
Tennessee Elec. Power 7% pf.	86½	91
United Light & Rys.	135	139
United Light & Rys. 6% pf.	71	73¾
Western Power	22	24½
Western Power pf.	82½	84
W. Virginia L., H. & P. 7% pf.	94½	96¼

SHORT-TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield.
Alum. Co. Am.	7	Oct., 1932	102¾	103¾	6.18
Alum. Co. Am.	7	Nov., 1925	101½	102½	5.76
Am. Cot. Oil	5	1931	97	98	6.09
Am. Su. T. cv.	7½	June, 1924	101¼	101½	
Am. W. & T.	6	Feb., 1924	100¼	100½	4.70
Am. Thread	6	Dec., 1924	101½	101¾	5.82
Amer. Cop. Co.	6	Jan., 1924	101¼	101½	5.35
Anglo-Amer. Oil Co., Ltd.	7½	Apr., 1925	101¾	101¾	5.65
B. & O. R.R.	6	Apr., 1924	100¼	100½	4.52
Bell Tel. Can.	7	1925	104½	104¾	5.50
Braden Copper	6	Feb., 1932	99	99½	6.06
Can. Nor. Ry.	6½	Dec., 1924	100¾	100¾	5.25
Royal Baking Powder	6	Feb., 1927	97¾	98	6.60
Dupont Powder (Emp. Case)	7	May, 1925	98½	99½	7.10
Federal Sug.	6	May, 1933	97½	98½	6.34
General Cigar	6	Dec. 1, 23	100	100½	5.99
General Cigar	6	Dec. 1, 27	99½	100	6.31
General Cigar	8	Dec. 1, 27	109½	109¾	6.61
Hocking Val.	5	Mar., 1924	100¼	100½	4.95
Humble O. & R.	5½	July 15, 23	99¾	99¾	6.98
Int. Bath. T. & P.	6	Jan., 1924	100¼	100½	5.14
Kan. City Ter.	4½	Nov., 1925	100½	100¾	4.48
Ken. Cop. Co.	7	Feb., 1930	103½	103¾	6.30
Pillsbury Fl.	7	Oct., 1933	99½	99¾	7.35
Sloss-S. S. & I.	6	Aug., 1924	100¼	100½	5.82
Solvay	6	Oct., 1927	104½	104¾	6.22
Swift & Co.	5	Oct., 1932	97½	97¾	6.30
S. O. of N. Y.	5	May, 1933	100¼	100½	6.66
Sun Oil	6	June, 1933	97½	97¾	6.70
Vacuum Oil	5	May, 1936	98¼	98½	6.70
Wigh. E. & M.	7	May, 1931	106¾	107½	5.82
Wheel. S. Cor.	6	July, 1932	98	98¼	6.70

NEW YORK BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
America	213	218	Fifth Nat.	235	245
Amer. Exch.	260	280	Fifth Ave.	1600	
Bank of U. S.	370	390	First Nat.	1700	
Bowery	440		Garfield	270	290
Bryant Park	160	170	Gotham	700	750
B'way Cent.	152		Greenwich	200	
Bronx Boro	175		Harriman	225	230
Bronx Nat.	125		Harriman pf.	98	100
Butchers & D.	145		Manhat. Co.	132	137
Capital Nat.	120		Mech. & Met.	260	
Central Mer.	150		Mutual	230	235
Chase	240	246	New Amster.	155	
Chatham & P.	240	264	New Neth.	165	185
Chelsea	102	112	Pacific	300	
Chemical	450	470	Park	420	435
Coal & Iron	207		Port Morris	107	
Colonial	275		Public	225	
Commerce	240		Seaboard	300	325
Com'wealth	235	245	Seventh Av.	200	
Continental	140		Standard	200	
Corn Exch.	450		Star	250	
Cosmopolitan	120		Wash. Hts.	260	
East River	195		Yorkville	260	

TRUST AND SURETY COMPANIES

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Alliance	160	170	Lawyers Title	190	195
Am. Surety	90		Manufacturers	210	
Bond & M. G.	230	240	Metropolitan	315	325
Bankers	300	320	Mtg. Bond	120	130
Brooklyn	170		Nat. Surety	130	
Brooklyn Title	170		New York Title	135	145
Central Union	320	350	U. S. Casualty	110	
Commercial	110	125	U. S. Fidelity	260	
Empire	200		U. S. Title	100	
Equitable	195	198	Realty Assoc.	145	
Farm. L. & T.	535	545	Rec. & Int. pf.	97	
Fidelity Intl.	150		Rec. & Int. pf.	73	
Fulton	250		Title Gu. & T.	260	
Guaranty	245	248	U. S. Trust	1240	
Hudson	200		U. T. & T.	240	310
Irving-Col.	221	225	U. T. & T. pf.		
Kings Co.	350		West. T. & T.	215	
Standard Gas & Electric	86	90½	Westchester	210	

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Am. Alliance	160		Hanover	82	84
City	110		Home	32	34
Continental	70	74	Nat. Fire	140	145
Fid. Phenix	113	120	Niagara	42	43
Franklin	33	35	North River	30	32
Glens Falls	80		Northern	50	52
Globe & R.	30		Westchester	30	
Great Amer.	33	35			

GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS.

Following are the prices paid in the open market for United States Treasury certificates of indebtedness and notes of the different issues:

Month.	Year.	P.O.	Bid.	Ask.	Approx. Yield.
March	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
March	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
March	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
March	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
March	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
June	1924		99	99⅛	4.31
June	1924		99	99⅛	4.31
June	1924		99	99⅛	4.31
September	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
September	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
September	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
December	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
December	1924		99	99⅛	4.30
December	1924		99	99⅛	4.30

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Black Hawk	12	13	Gebhardt	32	42
Bohemia	45	47	Iron Blossom	13	40
Boston & Ely	25	27	Iron Cap.	9	4
Butte & Lon.			Jerome V.	1¾	2
Calaveras	1¼	1¾	La Rose	11	12
Chainless	1½	2	Mason	50	57
Chief Con.	45	50	Mines Co.	50	57
Con. Copper	7	8	Nipissing	6	6½
Davis-Daly	1¾	2	Ohio Copper	1¾	2
Dundee	1¾	2	Ojibway	1¾	2
Eagle & Blue	1¾	2	Rex Con.	1¾	2
Elizabeth	1¾	2	Seneca	1¾	2
Engineers	1¾	2	Shannon	1¾	2
Ely Con.	1¾	2	Silver Dollar	1¾	2
Ely Mining	1¾	2	Tonopah Ex.	1¾	2
Ely Tonopah	1¾	2	Trinity	1¾	2
Gadsden	1¾	2	Utah Apex	2¾	2¾
Gadsden pf.	1¾	2	Utah Con.	1¾	2
Gilmore	1¾	2	Winona	20	20

COTTONSEED OIL.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues-day.
Spot	100	10.60	10.60	10.60	10.60
Dec.	3,100	11.02	10.87	10.87	10.90
Jan.					11.00
Feb.					11.10
March	5,000	11.03	11.07		11.20
April	2,000	11.10	11.14		11.30
May					11.40
June					11.50
July	2,000	11.16	11.16		11.60
Total	12,200				

COFFEE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.	Year.	Last
Dec. (1924)					

ADMITS SELLING CAR OWNED BY FULLER

Rothstein Says Auto Went to Friend of McGraw, Manager of the Giants, for $5,000.

CREDITS IT TO $7,000 LOAN

Witness at Bankruptcy Hearing Denies Sale Was Made After Brokers' Failure.

At the time of the $5,000,000 failure of E. M. Fuller & Co., Arnold Rothstein sold to "a friend of John McGraw," manager of the Giants, a motor car belonging to Edward M. Fuller, to whom he had lent $7,000 on a mortgage, it was developed yesterday at the continuation of the bankruptcy hearings before Referee Harold Coffin.

Under examination by William M. Chadbourne, attorney for the creditors, Rothstein admitted he received $5,000 for the car which, he said, he believed had been sold by him before the firm went into bankruptcy, although he was not certain.

"Didn't you execute a fake mortgage and date it back before the receivership?" asked Mr. Chadbourne.

"Do you think I'd be a party to a fake deal like that?" Rothstein replied.

"Did you pay Fuller by check at the time you made the loan?" Rothstein was asked.

"No; I gave him seven $1,000 bills," he said.

Rothstein denied that the proceeds of the sale had been used in part to pay the fee of William J. Fallon, counsel for Fuller and W. Frank McGee, the latter's partner.

"I don't care to discuss the Fallon matter," Rothstein said in reply to questions about his alleged activity in getting counsel. "I don't think it has any bearing on the case or the assets."

At the beginning of the hearing Mr. Chadbourne read into the record a statement on the importance of continuing the interrogation of Rothstein.

"It is our contention," said Mr. Chadbourne, "that this witness (Rothstein) has received property of the bankrupts both before and after the failure which rightfully should be turned over to the trustee. To the extent of $385,000 this property consists of money lost by E. M. Fuller to Rothstein on wagers. A smaller sum and a motor car belonging to Fuller were received by Rothstein from Fuller after the failure in order that Rothstein might engage legal assistance for the bankrupts and defray other expenses incidental to the procurement of bail bonds."

The hearing will be continued on Jan. 9.

AGAINST COTTON GAMBLING.

Manchester Conference Urges the Curbing of British Speculation.

MANCHESTER, Dec. 19.—The joint committee of masters and cotton operatives appointed to discuss the situation brought on by excessive speculation on the Liverpool market has come to the unanimous conclusion that an improvement in the evil cal condition of the industry can be attained by stopping speculation. It is estimated that the cotton gambling has taken £50,000,000 from the cotton trade.

The meeting also was of the opinion that an increase in cotton production in the British Emp re was essential to the salvation of the industry, and members of the conference there strongly urged greater practical support by the Government. It was contended that if ample British supplies of cotton were forthcoming such gambling as has recently hampered the trade would be impossible. Increased production of empire cotton would also prevent what was described as manoeuvring in America to force up prices.

A MOVE TO BETTER TRADE RELATIONS

Plan to Avoid Friction and Promote Understanding Between Buyers and Sellers.

Formation of the proposed Joint Committee on Trade Relations, which has for its object the bettering of relations between retailers, manufacturers and wholesalers, was accomplished at a meeting held yesterday at the Hotel Pennsylvania. Representatives of fifteen of the national trade associations in varied lines pledged themselves to contribute $25,000 toward the financial support of the new organization for each of the first three years of its existence and agreed by unanimous vote a constitution and by-laws. A Lincoln Filene of William Filene's Sons Company, Boston, was Chairman of the meeting.

The aims which the new organization will endeavor to achieve, through the establishment of a clearing house, are summarized in the clause in its constitution which states:

"In order to elim nate waste for the benefit of the consumer, it shall be the object of the Joint Committee on Trade Relations to collect and disseminate information concerning trade relations between buyer and seller for the purpose of eliminating friction and trade disputes; to promote better trade ethics, more economical practices and more sympathetic and harmonious relations. It shall arrange for arbitration of claims when so requested by both parties to a controversy. The Joi nt Committee on Trade Relations shall confine its activities to the problems of its members, and no information shall be disseminated except to members. The Joint Committee on Trade Relations shall be a fact-gathering and fact-supporting agency."

The establishment of the Jo nt Committee on Trade Relations is the result of a campaign started about a year and a half ago by Jesse Isidor Straus of R. H. Macy & Co., Inc., President of the National Retail Dry Goods Association. A well-defined need, it is declared, was felt for some machinery that would serve to elim nate wasteful practices and tend to prevent trade disputes between buyer and seller.

In speaking of the work the committee proposes to do through its clearing house, Law Hahn, Managing Director of the National Retail Dry Goods Association, characterized as the first big task the assertion of a moral sense of business in relations between buyers and sellers. The importance of fair dealing with the consumer, he said, has been recognized by all, but this attempt is the first that deals with such relations as between those who make or wholesale goods and the retail distributers. The work s not being attempted, he continued, in any "holier than thou" attitude, but is a concrete effort to spread general recognition of the ethical basis which should underlie all dealings 'n order to lessen that friction which means waste and, so, higher costs to the consumer.

The national associations supporting the new organization and in attendance at yesterday's meeting represented the following lines: Ready-to-wear, f ne stationery, men's furnishings, corsets, knit underwear, knitted outerwear, millinery, jewelry, luggage and allied fields of retail distribution. It is understood that other asso ations have the matter of joining the new body before them, and favorable action is expected.

Half of the working funds for the committee will be contributed by the manufacturers and the other half by the retailers. The initial meeting of the committee as a functioning body will be held in the first week in February, but there will be another preliminary conference some time in January.

Rail Issue Authorized.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Boston & Maine was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce Commission to issue $7,000,000 in bonds to be turned over to the Secretary of the Treasury as collateral for a Government loan recently granted.

A. D. McTier Elected Rail Director.

Anthony D. McTier has been elected a Director of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway Company to succeed the late Lord Shaughnessy.

COMMODITY PRICES.

Cash Markets Rule Firm, With Minimum Variation in Cash Values.

Values in the local cash markets yesterday showed very little variation from Tuesday, prices ruling firm. The only changes reported were found in a slight decline in wheat, and a 20 point advance in spot cotton.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Wednesday, a week before and a year ago:

	Dec.19, 1923.	Dec.12, 1923.	Dec. 20, 1922.
FOODSTUFFS—			
Wheat, No. 2 red	$1.23¾	$1.24	$1.42⅜
Corn, No. 2 yellow	.90¼	.91¼	.94
Oats, No. 2 white	.54½	.54½	.58
Flour, Minn., patent	6.25	6.15	7.75
Coffee, No. 1 Rio	.10⅝	.11	.11¼
Sugar, granulated	.068	.0915	.071
Butter, cream, 92 score	.54½	.54½	.55
Eggs, fresh gathered firsts, per doz	.41@44	.50	.59
Lard, Mid. W	13.35@13.45	12.25	11.15
Pork, mess	25.50@26.50	26.50	28.50
Beef, family	21.00@23.00	23.00	18.00
METALS—			
Iron, 2X, Phila.	24.25@24.50	24.50	29.25
Steel billets, Pitts.	40.00	40.00	40.00
Lead	7.75	7.65	7.37½
Copper	13.00	13.00	14.50
Tin	46.62½	47.50	37.75
TEXTILES—			
Cotton, mid. upland	35.70	36.35	28.05
Printcloths	.08	.08	.07⅝

Range of prices, year to date:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
Wheat	$1.54	Feb. 15	$1.12⅝	Aug. 6
Corn	1.32¼	Oct. 16	.82	Jan. 4
Oats	.57½	Feb. 13	.42¼	July 13
Flour	7.60	Jan. 2	5.80	June 24
Coffee	.13⅝	Feb. 15	.10¼	Aug. 30
Sugar	.10¼	Apr. 25	.06	Jan. 27
Butter	.55	Dec. 7	.37½	July 2
Eggs	.60	Nov. 12	.32½	June 21
Lard	14.85	Nov. 15	10.95	July 28
Pork	28.50	Jan. 2	24.50	Aug. 7
Beef	23.00	Dec. 4	16.00	Aug. 7
Iron	33.75	Apr. 1	22.50	Nov. 2
Steel	45.00	Mar. 16	36.50	Jan. 2
Lead	8.75	Mar. 5	6.60	July 10
Copper	17.25	Mar. 19	12.50	Oct. 24
Tin	50.50	Mar. 15	37.87½	July 5
Cotton	37.65	Dec. 1	22.40	July 22
Printcloths	.08¼	Mar. 3	.06⅜	July 31

URGE DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

Federal Loan Board Reports Agriculture Improving.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Federal Farm Loan Board urged the farmers of the contry today to turn to diversification of crops and the development of co-operative marketing as the only sound basis for agricultural prosperity. Basing its observations on data supplied by the twelve Federal Land Bank Presidents, who have just concluded their Winter conference here, the board said in a statement that conditions in the agricultural industry showed a "very satisfactory improvement," but it felt that full advantage of the situation might not be taken by the farmers unless they diversified crops and organized for sales.

The information furnished by the Land Bank officials gave every reason, the statement said, for the belief that the improvement noted in the last year would continue.

Collections were described as most satisfactory in nearly all sections, and this was accepted as indicating that the farmers were getting on their feet financially.

"Agricultural conditions on the whole," the statement added, "continue to improve, although there are sections which, on account of partial crop failure, the low price of the principal crop or scarcity of labor, are not prosperous. These, of course, include only a fractional part of the total farming area. The fruit growers and cattle raisers appear to be the most unfortunate. The wheat farmer on the whole has not had a prosperous year.

"There is every reason, however, to believe that this improvement will continue, and the most encouraging part of the report to the board is the tendency throughout the United States to diversify farming. It is our belief that diversification and co-operative marketing furnish the only sound basis for agricultural prosperity."

Stock Change to Be Approved.

Officials of the United States Distributing Corporation said yesterday that the proposed change in capitalization, to be voted on by stockholders Jan. 2, has met with the approval of many of the stockholders and that the plan proposed is assured of going into effect. In addition to receiving one share of new common stock for each common share now owned, stockholders will receive one-quarter of a share of 7 per cent. $100 par value preferred stock under the plan.

Shipments of Gold to America.

Announcement was made yesterday of the arrival on the Berengaria of seventy-seven boxes of gold, valued at $2,685,000, consigned to order, and the departure from Southampton on the Aquitania of $4,000,000 more in the form of foreign coins, this shipment consigned to Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Mining Company to Pay 6%.

Special to The New York Times.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—A dividend of 6 per cent. for the current year has been declared by directors of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company. Payment will be made Jan. 15 to stockholders of record Dec. 31. The last payment at the rate of 10 per cent. on the $25 shares was made in 1920.

Gold Mine "Strike" Confirmed.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Dec. 19.—Confirmation of a report last week that the Portland Gold Mine in Cripple Creek had made an important strike was given yesterday by officials of the company here. An excellent grade of shipping ore has been uncovered at the 2,700-foot level, they said, but it will require at least six months' work before the full extent of the find is known.

New York Trust Dividend.

The New York Trust Company yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent., payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 22.

People's Trust Company Dividend.

The People's Trust Company has declared its regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent., payable Dec. 31, to stockholders of record Dec. 29.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts (Dec. 18), 5,160 packages. Fairly good trading in fine grades at full late prices in some cases a little higher. Medium qualities dragging. Creamery, higher than extras, 55@55½c; extras (92 score), 54¾@55c; firsts, 47¼@54c; seconds, 44@46¼c; lower grades, 41@43c; centralized cars (90 score) 49¾@50c; (88 score) 48@48½c. Receipts (Dec. 19), 6,047 tubs. (84 to 87 score), 44½@46½c; unsalted, higher than extras, 57@57½c; extras (92 score), 55½@56½c; firsts, 46@54c; seconds, 43@45c; held creamery (high scoring), 50¼@51c; extras, 50c; firsts, 46½@49c; seconds, 43@46c. State dairy tubs, finest, 52@54c; good to prime, 48@52c; common to fair, 40@47c; ladles, current make, extras, 50@50c; firsts, 43@46c; seconds, 41½@42c; lower grades, 39@40c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 31½@32c; No. 2, 30¼-31c; lower grades, 25@30c.

EGGS—Receipts (Dec. 18), 9,862 cases. Fresh western irregular; whites easier; storage weak. Fresh gathered, extra fancy, dozen, 48@50c; extra firsts, 46@47c; firsts, 41@44c; seconds and lower, 39@40c; checks, cases. 29@34c; dirties, No. 1, 31@32c; No. 2 and scorers, 29@30c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 25@29c; refrigerator, firsts to extra firsts, 30@32c; seconds, 29@29½c; do to the Pacific Coast, 32@33c; do whites, nearby various lots, 39@35c; do whites, Western, 30@34c; checks, from local candling, 19@26c; processed whites, refrigerator, nearby, 36@42c; do whites, refrigerator, Pacific Coast, 27@42c; do mixed colors, refrigerator, Western, 28@30c; New Jersey, nearby whites, closely selected, extras, 42@43c; other nearby whites, fancy, 40@41c; firsts, other nearby whites, mostly extras, 39@40c; other western and nearby whites, refrigerator, 40@42c; nearby white, refrigerator, firsts to extra firsts, 38@40c; undergrades, 37@34c; mediums, 40 to 41 lbs. net, 33@35c; Jersey whites, pullets, No. 1, 30@34c; other nearby whites, pullets, 27@29c; Pacific Coast whites, firsts to extras, 34@42c; unrerrades, 40@ 32c; mediums, 47@31c; pullets, 42@45c; other western and nearby, mixed colors, firsts to extras, 34@42c; unrerrades, 40@32c; mediums, 47@31c; pullets, 42@45c; other nearby and western nearby browns, extras, 42@44c; firsts, light yolks, 34@36

WIFE WINS ALIMONY FROM ROSENBLUTH

Neurologist Is Ordered to Pay $60 a Week Pending Divorce Proceedings.

CALLS HER A "RADICAL"

She, In Turn, Charges It Was He Who Harbored Big Bill Haywood Here.

Dr. Benjamin Rosenbluth, declared by his wife to be one of the foremost neurologists in the country, was directed by Supreme Court Justice Burr yesterday to pay $60 a week alimony to Mrs. Cecil Greil Rosenbluth, also a physician, pending a divorce on the ground that he took his social secretary, Miss Elizabeth Schwartz, to a bungalow at Napanock, Ulster County, last September.

Dr. Rosenbluth pleaded that he is bankrupt, and said that in asking alimony from him his wife is "seeking to destroy my usefulness and ruin me and my children, whom she hates." He has two children by a prior marriage, while his wife, who divorced a Dr. Greil in Idaho in 1912, has three grown children by that marriage.

The affidavit of Dr. Rosenbluth in opposition to an alimony allowance alleged that his wife is a "radical" and that she harbored Big Bill Haywood, I. W. W. leader, in her home at 45 Grove Street, in Greenwich Village, during the period when Haywood was a fugitive from justice.

In reply Mrs. Rosenbluth said that Haywood did stay at the apartment of herself and her husband in Grove Street, before her husband left her, but she said he was Dr. Rosenbluth's guest and that the latter "used to sit up until 3 or 4 A. M. talking and smoking with him."

Mrs. Rosenbluth said she married the neurologist in 1917 when she was his assistant in neurological clinics at Beth Israel and Mount Sinai Hospitals, and at his office, 1,326 Madison Avenue. She alleges that she was compelled to give up her practice because her husband would not permit her in his office or let her keep her professional card in the window.

Mrs. Rosenbluth says she is unable to make a living at her practice because she dropped it too long and has been compelled to earn money by doing nursing at night under an assumed name.

FRENCH FOREIGN TRADE SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Reports Are 41 Per Cent. Above Last Year's Record—Imports 37 Per Cent. Larger.

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PARIS, Dec. 19.—Statistics of the foreign commerce of France for the first eleven months of 1923, which are published today, show imports of 28,751,178,000 francs and exports of 27,317,696,000 francs. This is an excess of imports over exports of 1,433,548,000 francs.

Imports for the first eleven months of the year show an increase of 7,865,621,000 francs, or 37 per cent., over the imports for the corresponding period last year, while exports show an increase of 8,237,747,000, or 41 per cent. Increase for the same period. This year's excess of imports over exports is 424,946,000 francs less than last year's. This excess, according to the Temps, is without doubt more than offset by the "invisible exports," namely, the money spent here by foreigners.

The increase in the amount of foodstuffs imported is 564,164 tons, or about 11 per cent., while the exports of foodstuffs show an increase of 355,501 tons, or about 40 per cent. The increase in the exports of manufactured articles is 428,294 tons, or 19 per cent.

In comparison with the corresponding period for 1913 the imports in the first eleven months of 1923 show an increase of 21,186,646 francs, while exports show an increase of 21,083,062,000 francs.

BARS CHRISTMAS PLEA.

Subway Advertising Concern Finds Seal Additions Violate Contract.

Concerns advertising in subway and elevated cars have been prohibited from devoting any of their space to matter concerning Christmas seals, because their contracts permit them to use only the advertising specified, it became known last night.

Artemas Ward, President of Artemas Ward, Inc., which controls all subway and elevated car advertising, explained that he had imposed the prohibition because it would be disastrous to his firm to let any contract be violated for this purpose or any other. Such a violation would establish an undesirable precedent, he held, because some advertisers might feel that if their contracts could be broken in one respect they might be in others. Mr. Ward denied rumors that his company had canceled contracts of advertisers who had given some of their space to boosting the seals. He said that none had done so, although some had desired to, but he could not let any but stipulated material be included in their space.

He emphasized that the attitude was based upon the technical question of holding the other parties to the contracts and not because of any discrimination against the Christmas seal activities, although he regretted that the space in question was not suited for Christmas seal advertising.

JAIL FOR ASYLUM CRUELTY.

In Sentencing Pair Court Criticizes Low Pay in Institutions.

Two former attendants at the Brooklyn State Hospital for the Insane, Leon Putnam of 81 Parkville Avenue, Brooklyn, and Edward Lutes of 130 Kingsbridge Road, the Bronx, were sentenced to jail for twenty-two and twenty-five days respectively by County Judge Vause yesterday in Brooklyn on charges of treating patients harshly.

"The jury," Judge Vause told the two, "found no evidence that you assaulted patients, but it did feel that you were guilty of neglect of duty through harsh treatment of some patients. It recommended clemency. I have thoroughly investigated your case and have found that the circumstances surrounding your employment at the hospital made it most difficult and nerve-wracking. Your conviction is not so much a proved charge against you as it is a condemnation of the situation which finds our public institutions for mental incompetents inadequately manned and the employes poorly paid."

Woman Loses $15,000 in Gems.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 19. — Mrs. William Hyslip of Toronto reported to the police here tonight that she had been robbed of a handbag containing jewels worth between $15,000 and $20,000. She was about to board a train at the New York Central Terrace Station when the bag was whisked away from her side.

RETAIL FOOD INDEX RISES IN NOVEMBER

General Wholesale Prices, However, Continue Downward Tendency, Labor Bureau Reports.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Retail prices of food advanced 1 point in November as compared with October of this year, despite no change in the wholesale price index for the same period, according to index figures issued today through the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The downward tendency of general wholesale prices, which became evident in October, extended into November.

In October the retail food index number was 150; in November it was 151.

From Oct. 15 to Nov. 15 fourteen articles on which monthly retail prices are obtained, increased as follows: Strictly fresh eggs, 22 per cent.; butter, 5 per cent.; lard and cornmeal, 2 per cent.; fresh milk, oleomargarine, nut margarine, vegetable lard substitute, storage eggs, rice, canned corn, canned peas, tea and bananas, 1 per cent.

Nineteen articles decreased in price as follows: Pork chops, 16 per cent.; potatoes, 10 per cent.; cabbage, 7 per cent.; round steak and oranges, 4 per cent.; sirloin steak, hens and granulated sugar, 3 per cent.; ribroast, chuck roast, bacon, ham, lamb, cheese, prunes and raisins, 2 per cent.; plate beef and navy beans, 1 per cent., and wheat cereal less than five-tenths of 1 per cent.

For the year, Nov. 15, 1922, to Nov. 15, 1923, the increase in all articles of food combined was 4 per cent.

For ten years, Nov. 13, 1913, to Nov. 15, 1923, the increase in all articles of food combined was 44 per cent.

From Oct. 15 to Nov. 10, family expenditures for food increased as follows: Boston and Rochester, 3 per cent.; Buffalo, Fall River, Manchester, New York, Pittsburgh, Portland, Me., Providence and Springfield, Mass., 2 per cent.; Bridgeport, Newark, New Haven, Philadelphia and Scranton, 1 per cent.

For general wholesale prices the bureau's index number, which includes 404 commodities or price series weighted according to their commercial importance, declined to 152 for November, a drop of 1 point from the level of the preceding month.

PINKERTON'S ESTATE IS PUT AT $1,200,000

But This Does Not Include Interest in Detective Agency—Bulk of Property Goes to Family.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—William A. Pinkerton, the great detective, left an estate valued at about $1,200,000, according to documents filed with his will in the Probate Court today. Except for two minor bequests, the estate is left to his family.

Surprise was expressed by some at the low estimate. It had been reported that Mr. Pinkerton had an estate of many millions. Gifts, made during his lifetime, reduced Mr. Pinkerton's estate, but it is thought that an inventory later will show a larger total.

One charity was named in the will, the Home for Convalescent Children at Prince Crossing, Ill., receiving $5,000. Mr. Pinkerton made this bequest in a codicil to the will, which also revoked a bequest of $1,000 to the St. Luke's Hospital. The codicil was dated July 17, 1917, and the will Oct. 12, 1907.

Pinkerton's Interest in the Pinkerton National Detective Agency, which is valued at several millions of dollars, is given under certain conditions to his nephew, Allen Pinkerton of Riverside, Cal. The nephew is instructed to pay one-fifth of the net income from the business to each of Mr. Pinkerton's daughters, Mrs. Margaret Allen Pullman, widow of William G. Pullman, and Mrs. Isabelle J. Watkins, wife of Joseph C. Watkins, head of the Chicago Pinkerton office.

The residuary estate is to be shared equally between Mrs. Pullman and Mrs. Watkins.

CANNOT EXTRADITE MOURAY.

France May Try Man Who Robbed Shattuck Home of $80,000 Gems.

Gabriel Alfonse Mouray, alias Boljat, leader of the robbers who about two years ago held up Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Shattuck and seven servants in their home, 19 Washington Square North, and escaped with $80,000 worth of jewels, after locking the occupants of the house in an old wine vault, probably will be tried in France for the crime, District Attorney Banton announced yesterday.

The prosecutor said that earlier in the day he received a communication from Governor Smith, informing him that the French authorities had declined to accede to Secretary of State Hughes's request for the extradition of the bandit leader from Paris, where he was captured several months ago in a pistol battle with gendarmes.

The Governor stated that the French Government had offered to prosecute Mouray for the robbery, however, if evidence were forwarded. District Attorney Banton said that he would request the French Government to place Mouray on trial on affidavits and testimony obtained from witnesses in the hold-up, including two of Mouray's confederates who pleaded guilty following their arrest several weeks after the robbery and were sentenced.

ASKS "KIDS OF 95" TO PARTY

Theodore Northrup to Celebrate Birthday on Christmas Day.

Theodore G. Northrup of the Hotel Bresslin, author and lecturer, who attributes his ninety-five years to the science of thought, has broadcast an invitation to a regular kids' Christmas party to all men and women who can equal or exceed his age. He will be 95 on Christmas Day. The party is to be held in the hotel on Christmas afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock.

"I hope all youngsters of ninety-five will get in touch with me at once," Mr. Northrup said, "so that provision can be made for their entertainment. I cannot see any reason why we who have gained what I term years of discretion should not have a Christmas tree and all the little accessories that go with it. The first hundred years are always the hardest and those who are nearing the century mark should be cheered and encouraged so they may live to be two hundred."

SCOFFS AT "KING" SINCLAIR.

Albanian Consul Scouts Report Throne Was Offered to Him.

Reports that the Albanian throne had been offered to Harry F. Sinclair, American oil man, were characterized yesterday by A. B. Sula, Albanian consul in New York, as unfounded. The consul declared that save for a few isolated conservatives the Albanian people favored a republican form of government.

According to Mr. Sula, the only two parties in Albania are the Popular Party, now in control, and the Liberal Party. Neither of these wants a monarchy, Mr. Sula asserted. "In my estimation," he said, "the rumor was spread by foreign propaganda agents to cause political disturbances at the elections on Dec. 25, when a definite form of government will be decided upon."

LATEST DEALINGS IN REALTY FIELD

The Continental Hotel, Broadway and Forty-first Street, Sold to Rosensweig Bros.

WAS HELD AT $1,500,000

Apartment Houses in Demand—Frederick Brown Buys Park Avenue Corner.

The outstanding feature of yesterday's real estate market, which was unusually active for the closing days of the year, was the sale of the Continental, on the southeast corner of Broadway and Forty-first Street, by Henry S. Duncan, owner and manager, to Rosensweig Brothers, operators.

The property, which was held at $1,500,000 and bought by close to that figure, consists of a ten-story structure, occupying a plot fronting fifty-four feet on Broadway and 173 feet on the street.

The sale of the property will not alter or interfere in any manner with the present operation of the hotel, as Mr. Duncan has leased the property from the new owners for a term of years and will spend about $100,000 in making extensive alterations and improvements to the structure.

The Brown, Wheelock-Harris, Vought Company negotiated both the sale and the lease of the property, which was purchased about ten years ago by Mr. Duncan for about $1,125,000.

The Rosensweig Brothers last week purchased through the same firm of brokers the apartment house structure on the northeast corner of Eighty-eighth Street and Columbus Avenue, occupying a plot 100 by 125 feet and held at $325,000.

Estate Sells Two Apartments.

Apartment and tenement house properties were in demand in yesterday's real estate trading, several Manhattan holdings having been acquired by new owners.

Mortimer Neuman sold for Pincus D. and Nathan Epstein the Cedarleigh, northwest corner of St. Nicholas Avenue and 122d Street, for the sum of $275,000. Negotiations are now pending for the resale of this property.

Thomas J. Barnett sold for the Central Union Trust Company the two four-story apartments at 1,635 and 1,637 Lexington Avenue, on a plot 50 by 100, renting for $7,000 and held at $60,000.

Gettinger & Weinman bought for Norris Levine from Maxhof Realty Corporation 501 West 133d Street, being 40 by 100 and housing thirty tenants, renting for $20,000 and held at $110,000.

Martin Livingston & Ahreng, Inc., have sold 121 and 123 East 126th Street, near Lexington Avenue, two six-story and basement stores, for the Moynihan Realties and resold same to Hyman Cohen. They then resold to Chamowitz & Carrol for investment.

Irving Judis sold 853 and 855 Amsterdam Avenue, being the southeast corner of 102d Street, two five-story tenements, on a plot 50 by 80 feet, which he recently purchased. The buyer is Hugh P. Skelly and the broker in the transaction was Francis E. Hillenbrand.

The apartment at 529 West 138th Street has been sold for $100,000. The rentals are about $16,000. The Shachnow Realty Company, Inc., negotiated the sale.

Milton F. Levison sold 53 St. Nicholas Avenue, a five-story walk-up, held at $55,000, for the Kemp-Gol Realty Corporation to Julius Adler. The property is 87.7 by 108 feet and rents for $8,000.

Charles W. Eldt sold for Babette Schlossberg the four-story tenement at 203 East Seventy-third Street.

Paul Diederich sold to Charles H. Culpeper the four-story tenement and store at 348 East Forty-seventh Street.

Lou's F. Sommer sold for Loew Oppenheimer the five-story triple flat at 985 Columbus Avenue, between 108th and 109th Streets, 25 by 100, to Max Lindenberger. It rents for $65,000 and was held at $487,500.

G. Tuoti & Co. sold for I. B. Geller to an investor 333 and 335 Third Avenue, a six-story tenement, 50 by 100, with two stores.

Brown Buys Park Avenue Corner.

Frederick Brown purchased the southeast corner of Park Avenue and Nineteenth Street from James C. McGuire, President of the Brookfield Construction. There are eight four and five story dwellings on the property, which is known as 1,109 to 1,115 Park Avenue and 204 to 210 East Nineteenth Street. These eight houses cover a ground area of 18,750 square feet, and the plot was to have been improved by Mr. McGuire.

Four of the houses front on the avenue and four on the street. The avenue frontage is 100.2 feet and the street measurement 186 feet. J. Romaine Brown negotiated the deal.

SEES PERIL IN TAX BURDEN.

Lewis E. Pierson Declares Mellon Plan Is Backed Solidly by People.

The tax reduction plan of Secretary Mellon is backed solidly by the American people, according to Lewis E. Pierson, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Irving Bank-Columbia Trust Company, who discussed "Lower Taxes and Better Times" yesterday at a luncheon of the Members' Council of the Merchants' Association at the Hotel Astor. Mr. Pierson is President of the Merchants' Association. The Mellon plan was described also as a program "that will bring the greatest good to the greatest number," by S. Parker Gilbert, former Under-secretary of the Treasury.

Mr. Pierson pointed out that the United States alone had come through the World War without disorganizing its industries and unsettling its Government.

"But, there is a limit," he warned, "to the load that a willing horse will bear."

The speaker said that of an estimated annual income of $58,000,000,000, the public was being asked to contribute more than $7,000,000,000 to maintain national, State and local Government, and that of every $100 earned an American was asked to pay $12 to some form of government before he could supply his own needs.

Mr. Pierson declared that there was a logical explanation of the increased cost in conducting the affairs of the national Government, but that there was "no such easy justification of the enormous advances in the cost of city and State Government." He cited the jump in the cost of running New York City's government from $192,000,000 in 1913 to $353,000,000 in 1923, and the increase in the cost of State government from $40,000,000 in 1913 to $128,000,000 in 1923, an increase of 157 per cent.

"No State in the Union has a more pressing tax problem than New York State," he said.

He then explained that the Merchants' Association was deeply aymathetic with plans for the relief of disabled veterans who suffered in defense of their country, and that the people of New York were proud and glad to bear the expense of caring for the war's disabled. But of a blanket bonus for able-bodied veterans he said:

"In the present situation, however, it would be a poor sort of kindness for the nation to increase its taxes and swell its debt to provide a bonus for the able-bodied."

Police Seek Missing Accountant.

An alarm has been sent out by the police for Alfred S. Neason, 45, a public accountant, of 590 West 190th Street, who disappeared on Dec. 12. He had been ill since April and his friends believe he is suffering from amnesia. Neason left the offices of Davies & Davies, accountants, at 103 Park Avenue, at noon, Dec. 12, cashed a $100 check at his wife's request in the Irving Bank-Columbia Trust Company, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, and has not been heard from since.

THE BRONX MARKET.

Builders Sell Apartments Held at $350,000.

The Jefferson Building Corporation sold two houses, 739 and 741 Coster Street, housing seventy-five tenants and renting for $56,000, to Joseph Berger. The property was held at $350,000. Gettinger & Weinman brought about the deal.

The same attorneys bought for the Pechter Baking Company, Inc., 967 and 969 Barry Street, a factory and bakery on a plot 50 by 100 and held at $100,000, and sold for Louis Seltzer 918 and 920 East 169th Street, being a plot 60 by 100, a taxpayer, consisting of five stores and four apartments and held at $40,000.

Herman A. Acker Corporation sold for a client to the Regas Realty Corporation, Joseph Sager, President, the two five-story apartment houses at 1,902 and 1,906 University Avenue, each house on a plot 43 by 170 and having two seven-room apartments on a floor. The buildings show an annual rental of $24,000 and were held at $155,000.

M. Rosenthal, operator, purchased the plot on the southeast corner of Fordham Road and Crotona Avenue, 52 by 209 by 80 by 204 by irregular. The plot was held at $35,000. It is the intention of the purchaser to erect a two-story garage on the plot.

The Evander Realty Corporation sold to the Wolfreed Realty Corporation the plot, with a six-story apartment house now in course of construction, on the west side of University Avenue, 103 feet north of 190th Street, 158 by 141 by irregular.

Malcy & Doberman, as brokers, sold for Morris Waidman to David Katz the five-story apartment house with stores at 887 Freeman Street. The building rented for $8,500 and was held at $60,000.

George Goldblatt Company sold the southeast corner of Tinton Avenue and 150th Street, known as 808 East 150th Street, 75 by 62, a five-story apartment house with stores. The rent roll is $14,000. It was held at $35,000. A foreclosure sale of this property is pending.

Joseph Lesser bought from Joseph H. Van Damm the taxpayer on Southern Boulevard and 172d Street, 125 by 100 feet, with eight stores and apartments, held at $120,000.

The Parbrook Realty Company sold to Louis Silverman the six-story new apartment house at 2,323 and 2,325 Creston Avenue, on a plot 105 by 75. Charles Berlin was the broker.

Realty Notes.

Wagstaff & Outhwaite acted as co-brokers with James B. Speyers & Co. in the sale of 224 Fifth Avenue, a six-story business building. This property was held at $200,000.

Arthur B. Liebmann was the broker in the purchase by Frederick Brown of the old German Methodist Episcopal Church on Fortieth Street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

Cross & Brown Company has leased to Continental Paper and Bag Mills the entire tenth floor in the Pershing Square Building for a long term of years. Cushman & Wakefield, Inc., represented the owner.

Hughes & Hammond have placed a building loan of $260,000 for Louis Kramer on the property covering the block front on the north side of Leggett Avenue, Southern Boulevard to Fox Street, to be improved with two six-story apartment houses.

Nominations for Architectural Scholarship.

The New York Chapter, American Institute of Architects, announced yesterday that the program for the $1,400 Le Brun Traveling Scholarship Competition will be issued Jan. 2, 1924. This annual scholarship is competed for by architectural draftsmen and practicing architects between the ages of 23 and 30, who are residents of the United States, upon nomination by a member of the American Institute of Architects. Nominations must be in the hands of Julian Clarence Levi, Chairman Le Brun Scholarship Committee, 215 West Fifty-seventh Street, on or before Jan. 2, 1924.

Two Leasehold Deals.

The recently organized 44 West Fourteenth Street Company has purchased the lease on the four-story building covering a plot 25 by 103.3 at that address. The new directors are M. M. and S. H. Rosenberg and E. S. Ginsberg. J. I. Berman, attorney, represented the buying interests.

Louis Kovner, who recently leased the Van Alen realty at the northwest corner of Eighth Avenue and Forty-fourth Street, 100 by 100, has subleased the inside Eighth Avenue frontage, 50 by 100, beginning 50 feet north of Forty-fourth Street, to the 705 Eighth Avenue Realty Company, at $20,000 a year net. The sublease runs from May 1, 1926, when Mr. Kovner obtains possession, to April 30, 1947.

Operators Buy Apartment Site.

Adolph L. Simon and Emanuel B. Morgenstern, composing the firm of Manal Holding Corporation, have purchased through Max Liebeskind the plot on the southeast corner of Wadsworth Avenue and 176th Street, 100 by 100.

The purchasers, who are operators, expect to start immediate construction for a five and a half story walk-up building, consisting of two, three and four room apartments.

Upper Eighth Avenue Sale.

The Absan Realty Company has purchased from the Simlen Realty Corporation the six-story apartment house at 274 West 140th Street, corner of Eighth Avenue, on plot 100 by 99.11, renting for $40,000 a year. The store is occupied by Copeland's department store.

Investor Buys Apartment.

The Velsa Realty Company sold to an investing client of Isaac B. Wakeman the six-story elevator apartment house, known as the Sunderland, at 522 to 526 West 136th Street, on plot 100 by 100, renting for $40,000 a year.

Swann Buys Corner.

Ex-District Attorney Swann bought from the Stonemor Realty Corporation, Morris Weinstein, President, 44 and 46 Charles Street, the southwest corner of Seventh Avenue. The property was held at $35,000. The J. D. Robilotto Company negotiated the sale.

COTTONSEED STOCKS DROP.

794,506 Tons on Hand on Nov. 30, Compared to 875,431 a Year Ago.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Cottonseed crushed from Aug. 1 to Nov. 30 totaled 1,562,081 tons, compared with 1,583,600 tons for the corresponding four months a year ago, and cottonseed on hand at mills Nov. 30 was 794,506 tons, compared with 875,431 tons a year ago, the Census Bureau announced today.

Cottonseed products produced in the four months and stocks on hand Nov. 30, compared to the four months and Nov. 30 last year, were:

Crude oil produced, 458,240,813 pounds, compared with 476,810,882; and on hand, 139,762,581 pounds, compared with 116,858,899.

Refined oil produced, 288,288,683 pounds, compared with 319,054,032; and on hand, 97,172,063 pounds, compared with 94,758,949.

Cake and meal produced, 714,736 tons, compared with 715,300; and on hand, 178,982 tons, compared with 143,371.

Linters produced, 313,938 bales, compared with 365,618; and on hand, 139,452 bales, compared with 85,051.

Exports of cottonseed products in the four months were:

Crude oil, 7,256,144 pounds, compared with 5,370,079 for the same period a year ago; refined oil, 5,077,586 pounds, compared with 17,629,809; cake and meal, 80,163 tons, compared with 107,871, and linters, 18,402 running bales, compared with 11,758.

ANOTHER CO-OPERATIVE.

Big Apartment to Be Erected at 97th Street and Fifth Avenue.

As a site for a co-operative apartment involving an investment of about $2,000,000, a syndicate headed by A. B. Jones of the Princeton Club has purchased the south corner of Ninety-seventh Street and Fifth Avenue.

The property fronts 100 feet on the avenue and 127.6 feet on Ninety-seventh Street, and was acquired by the late Mrs. John H. Flagler-Bingham ten years ago for the purpose of erecting a palatial home.

Several months ago her heirs sold the site to the Alliance Realty Company, Clarke G. Dailey, Vice President, which now disposes of it to the syndicate, which has been incorporated under the title of 1158 Fifth Avenue, Inc.

The Alliance Realty Company valued the site at $400,000. The transaction was arranged by the Keitt P. Walker Company as broker.

On the adjoining Ninety-sixth Street and Fifth Avenue corner Hugh A. Murray is erecting a fourteen-story apartment house as an investment.

S. W. Straus & Co. Annual Convention.

More than 200 executives, officers and salesmen left New York last night on a special train over the Pennsylvania Railroad for Atlantic City to attend the National Annual Convention of S. W. Straus & Co., which opens today for a two-day session at the Ambassador Hotel. Another special train left Chicago bringing the entire Western contingent.

About 350 members of S. W. Straus & Co. from the United States and Canada, will attend the convention, which will be the largest and most important the company has held during its forty-two years' history.

A feature of the program will be the annual address of S. W. Straus, President of the company, who will discuss the general business and building situation, at the dinner of the organization tonight.

Trading in Brooklyn.

The Bergs Construction Company, Inc., sold to Dr. Schwartz, for occupancy, a new two-family dwelling, with double garage, on a plot 36 by 100, at 1,372 East Thirteenth Street. The property was held at $21,000. A. Mishkin was the broker.

The same broker sold for J. Giordano to S. Lasoff a corner plot of ground, 60 by 100, on the northeast corner of Avenue R and East Twenty-fifth Street. The property was held at $6,000.

Buckley & Horton Company sold the three-story two-family frame dwelling on a lot 20 by 100, for T. Echard to a client for investment.

Tutino & Co. sold the two-family brick house at 644 Forty-fifth Street to a client for occupancy.

ESTATE SELLS FACTORY.

Greenwich Street Corner Was Valued at $350,000.

The estate of Charles Frederick Hoffman sold to Edward J. Dorton the eight-story, basement and sub-basement fireproof factory building on a plot 100 by 100, at the northwest corner of Greenwich and Morton Streets.

The property was held at $350,000 and sold for all cash. Norman Denser was the broker.

W. C. Dilger sold for Anna C. S. Hassey 235 East Twenty-second Street, a five-story front and rear building, to an investor. It was held at $30,000.

Aviation Field Sold.

Max Bache has purchased the former aviation field at Oakwood, Staten Island, near the beach, held for many years by Robert A. Chesebrough. The property has a frontage of 1,000 feet on Mill Road, and then continues along Adelaide Avenue for a distance of 1,490 feet.

It will be developed into 500 building sites for Summer and all-year-round homes.

S. Lichtérman Agency sold for John A. Lasher a plot of lots located on Beach 145th Street, Neponsit, Long Island, to a client who will improve same for a year-round residence.

Murray B. Parks sold to Walter J. Kreusser a new brick house on the corner of Pelhamdale Avenue and Bolton Road, Pelham Manor. The property was held at $29,500.

Fifth Avenue Lessees Must Vacate.

An order was signed yesterday by Judge Hand, in the United States District Court directing J. M. Gidding & Co., as lessee, and James Bennat & Co., as sub-lessee, of 564 and 568 Fifth Avenue, and their receivers, to surrender possession of that property to the owners by Saturday.

The order also authorizes the sale of the furniture and fixtures of Bennat & Co. to the owners. The order is in pursuance of a settlement made with the Tavfhanjian Estate, owner of the property.

George S. Kebabian, attorney, representing the estate, said yesterday that one of the Tavfhanjian heirs being an infant he expects to apply to the Supreme Court to lease the property for twenty-one years.

Euclid Hall Changes Hands.

L. K. Schwartz Corporation purchased from Jashnoff & Lapan, as the 2,841 Broadway Realty, Inc., their eighteen-year lease on the Euclid Hall, a seven-story apartment house on the west side of Broadway, extending the entire block front from Eighty-fifth to Eighty-sixth Street. The building contains thirteen stores and forty apartments, together yielding an aggregate income of approximately $4,000,000 for the period. The property is the same that D. A. Schulte leased from the owners a few years ago. The broker in the transaction was Jack Scobel.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 19.—Fifty-six new corporations with an aggregate capitalization of $1,775,600 were chartered today. They include:

Allied Phonograph and Musical Manufacturers' Association, Manhattan, 150 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 100 common, no par value; J. D. Neppert, M. Kahn, F. W. Conrad. (Attorney, W. L. Post, 50 Church St.)

125 East 93d Corp., Manhattan, realty, $1,000; S. and M. R. Levy. (Attorney, J. Levy, 41 Chambers St.)

Club Lunch, Manhattan, $10,000; A. Getzoff, J. Oichin, S. I. Lacov. (Attorney, J. W. Umans, 271 Broadway.)

Swartz, Utica, women's apparel, $50,000; D. and D. Mann, A. W. Goodman. (Attorney, L. Rosenberg, 116 Nassau St.)

Gannett Co., Rochester, printing, $500,000; F. E. Gannett, P. Balter, F. E. Tripp. (Attorneys, Warren, Shuster & Case, Rochester.)

Suwalsky Realty Corp., Manhattan, $6,000; E. C. Wagner, B. Suwalsky. (Attorney, B. S. Deutsch, 261 Broadway.)

Bricks-Allenhlum Corp., Fonda, women's hosiery, 1,100 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 500 common, $10 each; active capital, $125,000; M. M. Blum, B. Bricks, E. C. Allen. (Attorneys, Hays, Hershfield & Wolf, 115 Broadway.)

New Life Embroidery Works, Manhattan, $5,000; S. Tomarchio, J. Pajevich. (Attorney, A. De Cicco, 132 Nassau St.)

Bodin Corp., Manhattan, realty, $90,000; R. and L. and H. Bodin. (Attorneys, Cattan & Gilman, 116 Nassau St.)

Aushart Products Corp., Manhattan, chemicals, $10,000; C. J. Aufferth Jr., E. F. Stewart, C. S. Shotwell. (Attorney, J. C. Jackson, 19 West 44th St.)

Holland Battery Co., Queens, $2,000; M. McK. George, W. Berrian, J. Steiner. (Attorneys, Petersen, Steiner & Kohan, 1/13 Broadway.)

J. S. Gaffga Engine Corp., Greenport, $10,000; N. and L. N. Goldin, N. F. Powers. (Attorney, F. J. McMann, 140 Nassau St.)

328 East 66th Street Corp., Manhattan, realty, $35,000; R. and M. Greenhut, A. Sucharipa. (Attorney, J. H. Lavac, 330 East 73d St.)

Palmer Realty Co., Manhattan, $10,000; I. Shapiro, B. F. Schwartz, A. Dolinsky. (Attorney, A. Bernardik, 305 Broadway.)

Maloney Coal Co., Niagara Falls, $150,000; A. F. and F. S. and J. R. Maloney. (Attorneys, Cohn, Chormann & Franchot, Niagara Falls.)

S. M. T. Garages, Bronx, $10,000; J. Maslow, M. Polonsky, S. Tescher. (Attorney, H. A. Goldel, 233 Broadway.)

Bacher & Kapian, Manhattan, paper boxes, $15,000; D. Bacher, S. Kapian; L. Kaufman. (Attorney, M. L. Kane, 50 Court St., Brooklyn.)

New Street Realty Corp., Rochester, $50,000; A. Laughren, B. Baker, H. Z. Harris. (Attorneys, MacFarlane & Harris, Rochester.)

Pepsod Realty Co., Manhattan, $1,000; P. D. Benson, A. E. Claffey, A. Brooks. (Attorney, M. A. Barney, Tribune Building.)

Orbit Realty Co., Manhattan, $1,000; same as preceding.

Olympia Baths and Pool Corp., Long Beach, $30,000; C. J. and B. A. Kean, F. Martini. (Attorney, R. Stone, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Radio Shield Stores, No. 1, Manhattan, $1,000; W. B. and M. Schoeppler, J. B. Dugert. (Attorney, C. C. Cormany, 90 West Broadway.)

Chateaugay Associates, Manhattan, realty, 350 shares common stock, no par value; L. K. Wise, A. W. Duckett, J. J. Geoghegan. (Attorney, J. D. Doherty, 150 Nassau St.)

Robertson Development Co., Richmond, $1,000; E. S. and H. Robertson. (Attorney, F. W. Lahr, 299 Broadway.)

W. B. Swarts Oil Co., Elmira, $10,000; W. B. Swarts, H. W. Dooks. (Attorney, T. M. Lewis, Elmira.)

Duberstein-Shaff, Manhattan, realty, $500; L. Duberstein, E. Shaff, A. M. Silberman. (Attorneys, Arnstein & Levy, 299 5th Ave.)

City Thread Manufacturing Co., Manhattan, $100,000; J. H. Kanarek, J. T. Quinlan, T. G. Flaherty. (Attorneys, Flaherty, Turner & Strouse, 2 Rector St.)

Salmon Realty Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; W. and B. Saimon, P. Semel. (Attorney, D. Steckler, 51 Chambers St.)

Kjeve & Co., Ltd., Manhattan, agricultural and mercantile, $3,000; P. A. Kjeve, T. Homestead. (Attorney, J. L. T. Waltz, 50 Church St.)

Fillmore Holding Co., Manhattan, realty, $10,000; 68 Rosenfeld, H. B. Cohen. (Attorney, B. E. Siegelstein, 99 Nassau St.)

Richard Bauer & Co., Manhattan, paper products, $75,000; R. Bauer, L. A. Crafts, F. G. Marks. (Attorneys, Hoose, Grossman & Vorhaus, 115 Broadway.)

H. Romeyn Smith, Manhattan, plumbers' supplies, $50,000; H. R. and E. F. Smith, H. A. Mangheser. (Attorneys, Cannon & Cannon, 135 Broadway.)

Lasting Dress Co., Manhattan, $10,000; M. Singer, F. L. Garfunkel. (Attorney, J. Barasha, 277 Broadway.)

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Brooklyn Metal Stamping Corp., Brooklyn, $10,000; D. H. Morrison, G. Weinstein, J. C. Fishel. (Attorney, O. L. Dann, 291 Broadway.)

Dunsart Textile Co., Manhattan, $250,000; W. J. Ritchie, T. F. Dooley, J. B. Maxwell. (Attorney, W. E. Russell, Singer Bldg.)

Joseph Scull, Brooklyn, poultry market, $2,500; A. E. Schenauil, P. B. and J. Scull. (Attorney, B. Douglas, 4,92 Broadway.)

2,362 Third Av. Realty Corp., Bronx, $20,000; W. M. Schwartz, R. Vafnet, M. Mason otf. (Attorney, L. Feuerman, 58 Park Row.)

257 Madison Av., Manhattan, realty, 1,500 shares common stock, no par value; G. V. Reilly, R. K. Tuttle, H. C. Hand. (Attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St.)

Jos. De Lauro, Brooklyn, plumbing, $5,000; M. F. and F. L. Ross, J. Lauro. (Attorney, B. Lamberta, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Max Sandler, Brooklyn, decorative work, $5,000; R. and M. Sandler, B. F. Jackson. (Attorney, B. Wohl, 220 Broadway.)

Franklin Quincy, Brooklyn, real estate agency, $10,000; R. A. and G. Potts Sr., H. Barry, J. Lauro, Brooklyn. (Attorney, 63 Wall St.)

Standard Show Case Co., Brooklyn, $10,000; W. Shinnamon, V. Granata, D. Littman. (Attorney, B. Lambert, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

128 Barclay St. Corp., Manhattan, realty, 175 shares common stock, no par value; C. R. Dewar, C. C. and A. E. Mamm. (Attorneys, Wesselman & Kraus, 19 West 44th St.)

Bergrose Realty Co., Manhattan, $10,000; S. Rosenbert, H. Grill. (Attorney, L. Rosenberg, 166 Nassau St.)

Globe Pickle Works, Manhattan, $10,000; M. Sippel, H. Grossman, A. Reffain. (Attorney, H. Z. Rothstein, 1,400 5th Av.)

Dorsley Realty Corp., Brooklyn, $50,000; I. E. Schlesinger, H. E. Tinsley, I. Gershman. (Attorney, H. J. Krimsky, 299 Broadway.)

Prime Pictures Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; J. L. Mendelson, D. R. Ehrlich, E. Alper. (Attorney, H. Feariman, 63 Park Row.)

Churchill Tall Enterprises of America, Manhattan, motion pictures, $30,000; F. A. Churchill, W. J. Rogers, S. Schwartzman. (Attorney, H. S. Hechheimer, 1,540 Broadway.)

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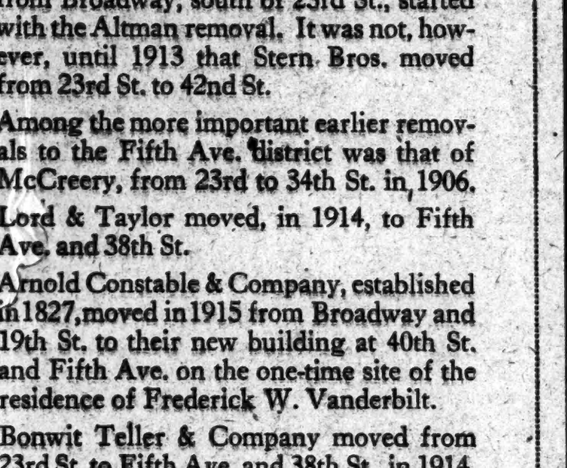

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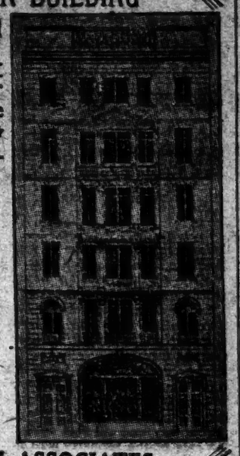

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5,000 to 100,000 SQ. FT. SPACE
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REMAN-CALLMAN COMPANY,
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Manhattan—Bronx For Rent.

6TH AV., 170 (at Madison Square)—Unusually light floors and offices. Supt. or Chas. G. Edwards Co., 321 Broadway. Worth 8420.

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21ST, 36 EAST—All improvements; elevator; reasonable rent; low insurance; Holmes protected. Bush, 19 East 21st. Gramercy 1278.

25TH, 253-255 WEST, near 7th Av.—Watkins 1023. Daylight lofts, 100% sprinkler; elevators; watchman; heat; needle trade; also stores.

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154TH, 406-408 EAST—Daylight, manufacturing loft, 60x100; steam heat, elevator service; live steam if required.

BROOME ST., 426 (between Broadway and Lafayette)—First, second, top lofts, 25x100; electric light; $1,500, $900, $700. Robt. Bonsall, 261 Broadway. Barclay 0260.

GRAND ST., 137—86x30, elevator; heat; manufacturing; $2,200. Butterfield 9451.

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LOFTS AND SHOW ROOMS.
123 5TH AV.
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LARGE manufacturing loft, 75x100; extra good light. Inquire Engineer, 215 East 24th.

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LOFTS AND FLOORS.

Manhattan—Bronx For Rent.

LIGHT LOFT.
Third Floor.—Fireproof.
44-50 East 22d St.
7,200 square feet.
Suitable light manufacturing,
KNIT GOODS, DRESSES,
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Four elevators, watchman's service; lowest insurance rate; possession Feb. 1; reasonable quick taker.
Supt. on premises, or
SPOTTS & STARR,
Times Building. Telephone Bryant 4800.

LOFTS—Large and Small—OFFICES
16th, 55 West—Large loft, 30x92, all light. 25d, 30 East—Lofts 25x100, 16x30, also offices. Apply on premises.

STORES

Manhattan—Bronx For Rent.

15TH ST., 2 WEST (corner 5th Av.)—Established store for stationery or suitable for any wholesale or retail business. Meltzer, 96 5th Av.

20TH, 12 WEST (near 5th Av.)—Store, 22x104, to let. Spring Valley Wood Products Co.

27TH, 40-42 WEST—Store and basement, Feb. 1; $10,000, or divided $6,000. See superintendent or phone Butterfield 9451.

29TH, 282-288 W., near 7th Av. Watkins 1025. Stores, basement and lofts; 100% sprinkler.

41ST, 6 EAST—Store and basement; immediate possession; on premises. Vanderbilt 9615.

BELMONT AV., 2,280, NEAR 187TH ST. Store, 200 square feet, $480 yearly. Store, 2,500 square feet, $2,200 yearly. SHARUM, 565 5th Av. Vanderbilt 0124.

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Small store adjacent to Grand Central Terminal and Pershing Square Building; $1,100.
MAURICE WERTHEIM,
408 Lexington Av. Phone Murray Hill 0083.

LISPENARD ST., 52—Large, light store to let. Inquire in store.

TIMES SQUARE SECTION—Store to let; reasonable rent. 112 West 44th. Apply premises or own broker. Bryant 8887.

STORE, 121 WEST 24TH ST.
25x110; low rent.
Welsh, 122 5th Av. Watkins 1879.

STORE, near 5th Av.; 20 feet; brokers. Apply 5 West 16th. Chelsea 3837.

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57TH AV. AND 407TH ST.
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5TH AV., 170 (at Madison Square)—Unusually light floors and offices. Supt. or Chas. G. Edwards Co., 321 Broadway. Worth 8420.

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High-class offices and several desks and window space, with or without facilities.

10TH FLOOR, 4 offices, $2,600; high-class bank building, Murray Hill 8513.

28TH, 118 EAST—Large, small, light offices, fireproof building; high-class service.

32D ST., 134 WEST—Attractive, light offices for rent; phone, stenographic, mail and porter privileges; all calls answered and small amount care of indefinitely when tenant is away from office; centrally located; references and lease required. C. S. Logan, Inc. Pennsylvania 6586.

41ST, 8 EAST—500 square feet, unfurnished; immediate possession. Vanderbilt 9615; premises.

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APARTMENTS TO LET.
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Unfurnished—West Side.

BACHELOR APARTMENTS of from 2 to 4 rooms and bath in The Sheldon, 780 Madison Ave., with service if desired; rents $1,200 and $1,800. JOHN P. PEEL CO., 342 West 72d St.

Unfurnished—West Side.

72D ST., 28 WEST.
Washington Court—3, 4 and 4 rooms and bath; elevator building, large living room with wood-burning fireplace, complete service; rent $1,800 to $3,000. J. IRVING WALKER, 30 West 72d St.

72D ST., 37 TO 55 WEST—4-7 large rooms and bath; maid's lavatory; 2 open fireplaces; steam, elevator; also 2 rooms and bath, 1062 to 69 West—4 rooms and bath, elevator; leases; references.

111TH ST., 125 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; large living room. Vanderbilt 8826.

117TH ST., 144 WEST—4 rooms; all improvements; rent reasonable. Inquire Supt.

121ST ST., 5 WEST—Skylight studio, 2 rooms, bath; all improvements. Chelsea 8597.

121ST ST., 9 WEST—Large rooms and bath; improvements; $1,000.

121ST ST., 19 WEST—Delightful 2 and 4 room apartments in fireproof elevator building; large fireplaces; unexcelled telephone and maid service. Supt., or Vanderbilt 5626.

121ST ST., 102 WEST—Studio, 2 rooms, bath, $65. Tabell, 270 8th Av.

121ST ST., 41 WEST—Two rooms, kitchenette and bath; $100.

125TH ST., 30 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; roof garden; unusually attractive; southern exposure. Supt. at 3 West 50th.

125TH ST., 158 AND 105 WEST.
One, two and three rooms and bath; well furnished or unfurnished or unfurnished; reasonable rent. Superintendent on premises, or E. E. Higby, 20 East 21st St.

125TH ST., 158 WEST—Studio and bath, skylight, north light; suitable for artist or sculptor; immediate possession; $100 monthly.

125TH ST., 227 WEST—Two and four, seven rooms; tastefully remodeled interior; desirable location.

125TH ST., 149 WEST—If refined surroundings appeal, see large rooms and bath, in-a-door bed, all improvements; $95. Apply premises, all Sundays, or phone Marx, Lackawanna 1763.

125TH ST. and 7th Av.—Sublet elegant new 7-room apartment; immediate possession; unsafe. Write A. E. K., 1,115 Broadway.

128 WEST 58TH ST.
HIGH-CLASS ELEVATOR APARTMENTS.
CHARMING HOME ATMOSPHERE.
4 AND 7 VERY LARGE ROOMS.
One and Two Master Baths. Extra Maids' Lavatory.

129TH ST., 121 WEST—Sublet attractive apartment, light and airy; one large room, dressing room, bath, California folding bed; can be used for studio; $125. Call Circle 4000.

129TH ST., 148 WEST—3 immense rooms, 2 master bathrooms. Arthur Tribelhorn, premises.

72D ST., 49-51 WEST.
APARTMENTS 5 TO 9 ROOMS.
These apartments are unique in that the floor plans allow of all the luxury and roominess of a Long Island estate; living room 15x27; open fireplaces; building being remodeled now; immediate possession. Leroy Construction Co., 24 West 72d St.

72D, 140 WEST—New building; 1, 2 rooms, kitchenette and bath, $900 up. Premises or E. K. Van Winkle, 103 West 72d St. Endicott 1077.

72D ST., 140 WEST (near Broadway)—One, two rooms, kitchenette and bath, $1,000 up. Premises or Endicott 1077.

72D ST., 344 WEST.
3 to 7 rooms, $1,200 to $4,200.
Highest grade service.

72D, 362 WEST (corner Broadway)—Six large rooms, one flight up; $125.

72D ST., 19 WEST—Studio building, room 20x24; dancing, music, etc.

77TH ST., 309 WEST—Three large outside rooms, kitchenette, bath, heat; remodeled; moderate.

80TH, 249 WEST (corner Broadway)—Two rooms and bath; unfurnished; very desirable.

81ST, 20 WEST—GROUND FLOOR SUITE. 2 ROOMS, BATH, KITCHENETTE; $35.

81ST ST., 111 WEST—Eight large rooms, bath; top floor; immediate possession.

81ST ST., 41 WEST—Beautiful five-room apartment to sublet, special decorations and lighting fixtures; unexcelled service; unique apartments; apartment 8C; call between 10 and 2. Telephone Schuyler 5607.

86TH, 250 WEST—New building, 2 rooms, bath and kitchenette; $1,400 yearly.

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86TH ST., 315 WEST—Two rooms, bath and kitchenette; high-class front apartment on main floor, also suitable for doctor. Inquire Supt. or tel. Schuyler 9864.

86TH, 139 WEST—Choice 8 large rooms, 2 baths, foyer; all light; elevator; garage; all improvements; $4,000. Superintendent.

86TH, 16 WEST; 87TH, 77 WEST—6 ROOMS, 4 BATHS; $2,400-$2,500; NEWLY DECORATED; EVERY IMPROVEMENT.

86TH, 230 W.—2 ROOMS, BATH, KITCHENETTE, INCLUDING SERVICE, $100.

87TH, 243 WEST—Newly renovated room, tiled bath; shower; $100 monthly.

87TH ST., 51 WEST (near Central Park)—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; reasonable rent. Inquire premises or Endicott 1718.

87TH—Elevator apartment, seven rooms, bath; $180, bargain. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

87TH ST., 34 WEST—Apartment (floor), two very large rooms, kitchenette, bath; high-class tenants; $115. Inquire Premises.

88TH, 306 WEST—Seven attractive rooms, completely renovated; immediate possession; elevator; all improvements; rent $150. Inquire premises.

88TH, 253 WEST—Handsome, new building, just completed, elevator service, two large rooms, bath, kitchenette; $85-$90; leases; references.

89TH—Elevator apartment, five rooms, bath; $125 month. Elberson, 25 West 42d St.

89TH ST., 206 WEST—5 and 7 light rooms, up-to-date elevator apartment house.

89TH ST., 228 WEST (between Riverside and West End)—Three rooms; real kitchen, bath; steam heat, electric light; newly decorated; $66 monthly. Inquire Superintendent on premises.

91ST, 310 Central Park West)—High-class, elevator, select neighborhood; 3 unusually large rooms with real kitchen, bath; possibly five rooms sublet; unusually large; Feb. 1.

91ST, 308 WEST—Five immense, light rooms; immediate possession; $150. Ernest Tribelhorn.

92ND, 302 WEST—Three rooms, kitchenette and bath; elevator; all modern improvements.

93RD ST., 1 WEST—Very desirable 8-room corner apartment on Central Park West. Frederick Ritzell & Sons, 2,311 Broadway. Telephone Endicott 2200.

93RD ST., 304 WEST—High-class apartment, 5 rooms, nicely furnished, $100. Inquire on premises or phone Academy 1647.

104TH ST. (3,731 Broadway)—6 rooms, bath, elevator building, at bargain, $105. Academy 0168.

107TH, 216 and 230 WEST (near Broadway)—Nice, sunny rooms, all improvements, in high-class elevator apartment; moderate rent. Superintendent on premises.

107TH ST., 309 WEST (Straus Square)—
Corner ground floor, 7 rooms, bath; newly decorated; immediate possession. Supt.

107TH, 314 WEST—Two rooms, bath; reasonable rent. Premises or Bryant 6486.

111TH ST., 57 WEST (corner)—Seven rooms, rent $100; elevator apartment. Supt.

112TH, 616 WEST (near Riverside)—Three rooms, kitchen and bath; newly decorated, tiled walls. Rosenbaum.

112TH, 514 WEST—Seven rooms to rent, second floor, opposite Columbia. University. Cortlear.

116TH, 250 WEST (corner Manhattan Av.)—
Six large, light rooms, all improvements; reasonable rent.

121ST, 301 WEST (corner 7th Av.)—Elevator,
7-8 rooms; rent reasonable; very modern; panelled, paneled walls, very attractive.

121ST, 414 WEST—4-5-room daylight apartments; elevator; fine house; reasonable.

123D, 242-311 WEST (corner St. Nicholas Av.)—High-class elevator apartment, four rooms; all modern improvements.

125TH, 515 WEST—4-6 room elevator apartments; desirable; possession; $60 up. Supt.

125TH, 457 WEST—Elevator; 6 large, light rooms, $1,000. Premises, or E. K. Van Winkle, 103 West 72d St. Endicott 1077.

126TH, 515 WEST—Five outside rooms, newly decorated; modern walkup; $80.

126TH ST., 603 WEST—4 rooms and bath. Apply Janitor; immediate possession.

141ST, 520 WEST (corner Drive)—High-class, fireproof, 5 rooms, unusual size, panelled and stippled walls, very attractive; 2 baths, etc.

143D, 510 WEST (adjoining Drive)—Just completed, elevator building; elegant apartments, 3, 4, 5 large, light rooms, excellent service. Telephone Audubon 4563.

143D, 617 WEST—Cheerful, attractive, six-room, modern elevator apartment, near Hudson River; exhibit $140; exceptional opportunity.

147TH, 510 WEST—Choice 4-5 rooms, elevator, steam, hot water, telephone; high-class service; open for inspection.

147TH, 557 WEST — Single apartments, 6 large rooms, electric light; improvements; $75.

148TH (3,610 Broadway)—6 light rooms, all improvements; $60. Apply on premises.

149TH, 557 WEST (Broadway)—6 beautiful rooms, electricity, modern improvements; $60-$65.

151ST, 436 WEST—4 light rooms, bath, electricity, modern improvements; $45. Janitor.

157TH, 541 WEST (near Drive) — Attractive 2-3-5 rooms, new, elevator apartments; fair rentals; immediate possession.

APARTMENTS TO LET.
Unfurnished—West Side.

160TH, 601 WEST—Six and seven large rooms, foyer; two baths; modern, fireproof elevator apartment. Superintendent.

161ST ST., (between Fort Washington Av. and Riverside Drive)—Six, five, six and seven rooms. Apply Hudson View Construction Co., 999 Riverside Drive (corner 161st St.). Tel. Wadsworth 6356.

163D, 630 WEST—3, 4 cozy rooms; new building; exceptionally quiet house.

166TH ST., 626 WEST—3-room apartment, new building, first floor front to sublet; immediate occupancy; $165. Apt. 1. Telephone Billings 0563.

167TH, 600 WEST—Eight-room apartment, every convenience. Apply Superintendent.

181ST ST. (FT. WASHINGTON AV.), 51 BENNETT AV.
Four large, light rooms, all outside, elevator; newly decorated; all improvements; $90. Superintendent, or phone Circle 5170.

181ST ST. (Pinehurst Av.)—4 rooms; immediate possession; reasonable; all redecorated.

184TH, 158 EAST—Modern 3-5 room apartments; reasonable; agent on premises, 1-5 P. M. 8 A. Times Downtown.

191ST, 601 WEST, and 182d, 600 West—3, 4 and 5 rooms, corner, elevator. Supt. or Warren A. Skillin, 56 Park Row.

BROADWAY, 3,613 (The Marios, 96th and 99th Sts.)—Six rooms, $1,700; high-class 9-story elevator Apartment. Byrne & Bowman, 30 East 42d. Vanderbilt 8971.

BROADWAY, 3,502 (1452)—High-class corner apartment; 7 rooms; $175; newly decorated; possession. Audubon 2270. Owner, Schuyler 0065.

BROADWAY, 3,126 (at 74th St.)—Elevator; 2 rooms, $900 up. Premises or E. K. Van Winkle, 103 West 72d St. Endicott 1077.

BROADWAY, 2,515 (corner 104th St.)—Six rooms, front, $100; elevator. Apply Supt.

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Two and three room apartments for fastidious people.
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CENTRAL PARK WEST, 418 (corner 103d)—Ten-story fireproof building; 6 large, light rooms, $1,800. Premises or Endicott 1077.

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 85.
Two rooms, bath, kitchenette, $1,200.

CLAREMONT AV., 160 (opposite Grant's Tomb) — Three rooms, kitchenette and bath, select neighborhood; all modern improvements; moderate rent. Apply on premises or Frederick Zittel & Sons, 2,511 Broadway. Endicott 2200.

EDGECOMBE AV., 409—To sublet, high-class modern apartment, thirteenth floor; $105. Carr. Audubon 9200.

FORT WASHINGTON AV., 285-295—Block front, 172d to 173d St.; new buildings; ready Jan. 1; 3, 4, 5, 6 rooms, unusually high-class walk-up apartments in the finest residential section on Washington Heights. Inquire on premises. Telephone Billings 8306 or office, Telephone Vanderbilt 8861.

FORT WASHINGTON AV., 484 (Nathan Hale)—New 4-7-9 rooms, 2 baths; $150 to $200. Whitehall 7247. Wadsworth 9220.

HORATIO ST., 48—Private house, 3 large rooms and bath; every possible improvement; $75. Watkins 4715.

MANHATTAN AV., 16 (Cor. 101st)—Four-six light rooms; all improvements; elevator.

MARBLE HILL, 101; Terrace View Av. (near 225th St.)—Broadway subway; 5 large, renovated rooms, all modern improvements.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, 64 (116th St., Columbia University) — 7 rooms, 2 baths, charming location; overlooking Drive; elevator, all improvements; will decorate to suit for desirable tenant. Winchester, Bryant 4000.

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Corner apartments, overlooking the Hudson; spacious living rooms, beautifully decorated; thoroughly equipped with every modern convenience; 8 rooms, 2 baths, shower closet; $2,250. Apply to Superintendent or E. K. Van Winkle, 103 West 72d. Endicott 1077.

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ROBERT FULTON.
Seven rooms, two baths; modernized elevator apartments; all front; southern exposure; possession; rent reasonable.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Six-room apartment to lease from Feb. 1; all outside rooms, large foyer, abundant closet space; entirely redecorated; fireproof building, elevators; telephone service. G 245 Times.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 546—Seven-room apartment; sublet; fine view; $140 a month; immediate possession; can have balance of lease, 7 months, for $130. Morningside 0190, Apt. 6C.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 323 (106th St.)—Modern elevator apartment; living room, 2 bedrooms and kitchen; $125. Supt., or Slawson & Hobbs, 162 West 72d St.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 440—6 rooms, desirable apartment; view of river. Apply Supt.

SEAMAN AV., 4 (corner 204th, facing Inwood Hill Park)—2-3 rooms and bath; rents to let; new building; all modern improvements; reasonable rent. Apply on premises.

ST. NICHOLAS PLACE, 87 (155th station)—Desirable 6-room, elevator, front; reasonable.

WADSWORTH AV. (cor. 176th-177th Sts.)—2 new corner buildings now ready to let; 3 AND 4-ROOM APARTMENTS; moderate rents. Apply premises.

WAVERLEY PLACE, 102—Third floor, eight rooms and bath; Washington Square district; moderate rent. See Superintendent.

WEST END AV., 918 (corner 106th St.)—Exclusive corner 2-room apartment; modern, refined; $68. Inquire Superintendent.

FREE RENT 1 month; elevator apartments 2 rooms and bath; all improvements. Apply Supt., 408-14 West 150th.

ENTIRE FLOOR, 6 light rooms; steam radiators, electricity; bath; newly decorated; $75. 454 West 50th St., Columbus 4140.

NATIONAL STORAGE, 146 West 90th St.—Storage $6 month vanload, motor vans, moving; moderate rates. Schuyler 8583.

STUDIO to attract; northern light and skylight; high ceiling. 344 West 50th St.

Unfurnished—Bronx.

106TH ST., West Bronx—4 rooms and bath; very attractive; private phone; furnished; all outside apartments. Apply Supt., Mrs. Case, 1,123 Woodycrest Av. Phone 2570 Jerome.

ANDREWS AV (176th St.)—Just completed 3, 4, 5 room southern exposure, new apartments, with 2 bedroom; 1 block west of University Av. car line, or 4 blocks west of 176th St. station of Lexington subway, 6th and 9th Av. "L." at Burnside Av. station; moderate rental; agent on premises.

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Just completed, northeast corner Grand and Burnside Avs., 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 rooms; every modern improvement; 3 minutes' walk to New York University; 2 blocks west of Lexington and Jerome Av. subway, 6th and 9th Av. "L." at Burnside Av. station; moderate rental; agent on premises.

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THREE-FOUR-SIX ROOMS.
FEW 4 ROOMS WITH 2 BEDROOMS.
JUST COMPLETED.
SELECT TENANTS ONLY.
2,767-2,771 MORRIS AV.
9TH OR 9TH AV. "L" or
LEXINGTON AV. SUBWAY.
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TO KINGSBRIDGE ROAD STATION.
Walk one block north and one block east.

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HARRISON AV., 1,956—Six rooms, garage, 2-family house; all improvements; $135. Louis L. Archer, Woolworth Building.

LORING PLACE, 1,912 (corner Burnside Av.)—Five-room apartment.

SHERMAN ARMS,
653-657 Crotona Park North,
Overlooking Beautiful Crotona Park.
Now ready, 2 and 5 room apartments, all large outside rooms, every conceivable convenience; no large buildings adjoining. Agent on premises.

TELLER AV., 1,507 (Bronx)—4 rooms and sun parlor, 2-family house; opposite park; also use of private garage. I. Greenbaum.

Unfurnished—Brooklyn.

PROSPECT PARK WEST, 150—New elevator apartment, sublet 5 rooms, bath; large foyer, all outside rooms, front apartment, overlooking park; $130 month; 25 minutes to Wall St. Inquire Supt. or Apt. 6D.

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FOREST HILLS GARDENS, L. I.
5-room apartment to sublet; sacrifice, $125; gardens, apartments, vegetables. Phone Fitzroy 0621 or Boulevard 6345.

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With sun parlor, new elevator apartment, furnished or unfurnished; references required; rent reasonable. Phone Havemeyer 2200. Extension 25, before 9 A. M. and after 7 P. M.

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High-class elevator apartments, 5 and 6 rooms and 3 baths; 2 minutes to station, 32 minutes to Grand Central. THE JOHN T. BROOK COMPANY, Telephone 4756 Fellows, N. Y.

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Furnished.

WE ARE HAVING MANY APPLICATIONS FOR HIGH-CLASS FURNISHED APARTMENTS AND DESIRE TO INSPECT YOURS AND OFFER FOR RENT. ASK FOR MISS FOULLARIE. WOOD, FOLSOM & CO., INC., 3,091 BROADWAY. ENDICOTT 6900.

WANTED, five or six room furnished apartment, from Jan. 1 to April 1; must have two bedrooms and maid's room; west side, between 116th St. and 125th St.; rent not over $175. R. F. D. 98, King St., Port Chester, N. Y.

COUPLE (business man) want one room, kitchen or large kitchenette and bath; apartment house preferred; vicinity of 72d to 110th St., west of Central Park; not over $1,200; references exchanged. Y 3280 Times Annex.

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Most Side.

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Attractive room; owner's home; breakfast; references.

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35TH AND 37TH AV. (HOTEL NETHERLAND)—ATTRACTIVE ROOMS WITH PRIVATE BATH, $28 PER WEEK.

40TH, 55 EAST—Excellent location, desirable, large or small room, heat; gentleman.

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34TH, 450 WEST—Attractive, large, quiet front room; open fireplace; refined surroundings; reference. Cathedral 7812.

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70TH, 230 WEST—Desirable rooms, with or without bath; moderate.

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71ST (256 West End Av.)—Wonderfully furnished large room; twin beds, private bath; gentleman preferred; owner's home.

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71ST, 234 WEST—Single room, bath, shower, private home; bachelor; exceptional.

71ST, 31 WEST (HOTEL JOYCE)—One TWO ROOM SUITES, $12.50 WEEKLY UP.

71ST, 30 WEST—Large, newly decorated and furnished room; bath, toilet, complete.

72D, 162 WEST — Gentleman, lovely room, next bath; private home; convenience. Endicott 8287.

72D, 314 WEST—Attractive single room, nicely furnished; clean.

72D, 264 WEST—Single front room, refined American home; references.

72D, 250 WEST—Comfortable, quiet, electricity, phone; gentleman; reasonable. Second floor south.

FURNISHED ROOMS.
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72D, 126 WEST—Comfortably furnished single room; reasonable; reference required.

72D, 21 WEST—Elegantly furnished double rooms, private bath. Telephone Endicott 8267.

74TH, 25 WEST—Elegantly furnished single and large rooms, private baths; apartments.

74TH, 27 WEST—Medium room, two front windows; steam heat; large closets.

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85TH, 132 WEST—Desirable medium sunny room; all conveniences; reasonable; gentlemen; references.

86TH, 322 WEST (Riverside)—Light, airy room; every modern convenience; $6; reference.

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SECRETARIES (2), uptown.....$30
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A national bank seeks a credit man of unquestionable ability and adequate experience; one who is conversant with the ethics and responsibilities of a bank and who appreciates the opportunities offered with a branching institution.

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BOY for executive offices of a large uptown concern; this is an exceptionally good opening and requires unusual qualifications; should be 14 or 15 years of age; good appearance and manners and very much alert; at least one year's high school education is desirable, and applicants who have learned touch typewriting will be given preference; no previous business experience is necessary; initial salary $14, plus luncheon privileges. C 1002 Times Annex.

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METAL PATTERNMAKER, capable of taking charge both machine and bench. F. E. L., 79 Court St., Newark, N. J.

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OFFICE BOY, large steamship company; state experience and salary expected. W 58 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

PHYSICIANS desired, substantial commission, to male physical examinations. Call 4 P. M., Dr. Ritz, 19 West 35th St.

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Young man as instructor; 6 to 10 P. M. two evenings each week. Apply by letter only. Winn School of Popular Music, 44 West 34th St.

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GENERAL RELAY TESTERS; HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES OR THOSE HAVING AT LEAST THREE YEARS' HIGH SCHOOL; TO RECEIVE ATTENTION REPLIES MUST GIVE AGE, EXPERIENCE, IF ANY, AND SALARY.

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If you have been trained along the above lines and have ability to handle a job of this kind we invite your application, which should tell us all about yourself, your age, nationality, the positions you have held and just what they involved.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES, MUST BE OVER 16, ARE OFFERED PERMANENT POSITIONS WITH EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT; HOURS 9 TO 5, 12 O'CLOCK SATURDAY ALL YEAR. APPLY.

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We are seeking salesmen to cover all territories; we make a complete line of infants', children's and ladies' sweaters; also a complete line of bathing suits; as we are a representative organization, we want representative men who are connected in this line, but consideration will be given to men who have an established following among infants' buyers; to the right party we will turn over all our active accounts in their respective territories, with liberal drawing arrangements. Call or telephone for an appointment.

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We will train a limited number of young men of good family for selling positions in our New York, Brooklyn and New Jersey branches; successful applicants will receive schooling in salesmanship and our products; must be satisfied with $25 to $30 weekly during training period; can also place a few experienced salesmen in executive positions after Jan. 1—application should be made now —salary and commission basis.

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GOTHAM, 15 WEST 37TH ST.

SALESMAN.

Advertising solicitor—young advertising solicitor with proven ability to sell advertising wanted on salary and commission basis; only one seeking permanent position with large and thoroughly responsible house where opportunity is merely a question of ability need apply; the publication we will establish and the work is within the metropolitan area. Ask for Mr. Wilson, 7th floor, 524 Broadway.

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Three live aggressive men with selling experience to sell building lots in the fastest growing city in Florida, St. Petersburg; real estate experience not necessary but man must be in position to finance himself for at least two weeks; 10 per cent. commission paid and most unusual office co-operation given in closing sales. Write and enclose photo if possible at once to A. G. Rigley, Salesmanager, 523 Central Av., St. Petersburg, Fla.

SALESMEN AND SALESWOMEN.

Exclusive territory, Long Island, Brooklyn, Staten Island, Westchester Co., Conn., New Jersey; evergreens, trees, shrubs, roses, &c., delivered prepaid direct to purchaser; experience essential but not necessary; our selling outfit produces sales; commissions average $50 and over, paid weekly. Address Nurserymen, Suite 907, 1,457 Broadway.

SALESMEN.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF NEW YORK has opening for well recommended salesmen selling memberships; special opportunity to make money on commission basis in live wire 1924 auto licenses. Apply club headquarters after 9 A. M., Hotel Ansonia, 74th St and Broadway.

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SALESMEN—Nationally advertised building specialty leader in its line; fine leads furnished; sold on profit-sharing basis; acquaintance with architects and contractors desirable but not essential. Phone Vander bilt 6583.

SALESMEN—New York, Brooklyn, Jersey cities to sell cosmetics, toilet waters to drug jobbers, department stores; experienced only; commission until shown results then salary and drawing account. B 448 Times.

SALESMAN understanding braids and dress trimmings; acquainted with Southern territory to carry line of representative manufacturer; commission and drawing account. C. C., 256 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

SALESMAN, experienced selling fancy pearl-ware candles, metropolitan wholesale and department store trade; state fully past connections, salary desired, phone number. G 103 Times.

SALESMAN—Braid manufacturer wants experienced salesman with following in hat shade and upholstery trades; salary or commission

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MOON 1923 sport tourings, new car guarantee; exceptional values. Woods Co., Moon Distributors, Bedford Av. and Fulton, Brooklyn.

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OAKLAND sedan, late model, runs and looks like new; sacrifice. Call 943 60th St., Brooklyn. Phone Berkshire 3077.

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PACKARD limousine, twin six, 1922; privately used; seen at 655 Lexington Av. Plaza 8424.

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PAIGE (late) "6-66" sedans, touring; lowest prices ever!; 1,739 Broadway. 2476 Circle.

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RENAULT 1923 LIMOUSINE, $1,750. Cost $4,000. 240 West 60th St.

RICKENBACKER coupe, 1923 model; 6 months old; perfect condition; owner leaving town; bargain to quick buyer. Boulevard 9015.

ROLLS ROYCE 1922, 7-PASS. TOUR. ISOTTA-FRASCHINI 1923 SPORT TOUR. MINERVA AUTOS, INC., Murray Hill 2495 247 Park Av.

STUDEBAKER—2-passenger business coupe; practically new; only run 1,000 miles; must sell; will sacrifice. Madison Square 2234.

SUNBEAM car, special cabriolet body, built for show purposes; original cost $16,000; will sell at a bargain. Mr. Gunthr, 1,880 Broadway. Phone Columbus 5060.

WILLYS-KNIGHT COUPE SEDAN, used less than two months; practically brand-new; new extra tire and bumper; guaranteed; a saving of $400 from new-car price. Willys-Overland, Inc., Broadway at 50th.

Unused Cars.

HAYNES SEDAN, 1924 CONTRACT. Big sacrifice, M., 400 East 148th.

JEWETT contract, any model, $200 deposit; sacrifice $100. J. Marcus, Somerset Hotel.

Automobiles for Rent.

BREWSTER and Lancia ideal town cars; exclusive service; moderate rates. Columbus 8535.

CADILLAC, PACKARDS, late models; hour, day, month; reasonable. Call Low, Schuyler 4600.

CADILLAC, PACKARD; NEW CARS; OWNER, PHONE 8348 SCHUYLER. ELLIS.

LANCIA—Most beautiful town car; best reference; first-class service. Longacre 9212.

PACKARD limousine, new models, rented for calling, shopping, theatre, opera, weddings; reasonable rates, superior accommodations; for storage of transient cars, day or night; central, convenient. Naughton Garage Co., 153-157 East 53d. Telephone Plaza 2100.

PACKARD limousines and cabriolets, latest models, $4 per hour; any day, anywhere. The Biltmore Packard Auto Renting Co., 144-148 East 41st. Vanderbilt 5061.

PACKARD, latest limousines, uniformed chauffeurs, $4 per hour; special rates for shopping, theatre, monthly. Park Plaza Auto Renting, 658 Lexington Av. Plaza 8423.

PIERCE-ARROWS—Classy limousines; $5 hourly; special weekly, monthly rates. Endicott 0121.

PIERCE-ARROW limousine, very attractive, with courteous, uniformed chauffeur; monthly. Morningside 9885.

Automobiles Wanted.

AUTO OWNERS, ATTENTION! We will pay highest prices; call and be convinced. 875 7th Av., at 56th St. Circle 8695.

CARS WANTED—CASH WAITING. Burrelle, 1,900 Broadway. Columbus 9000.

AUTOMOBILES wanted; spot cash waiting. International Warehouse, 128 West 54th St.

Automobile Bodies.

NEW AND USED SEDAN bodies for all chassis, $275 to $1,250; also used limousine, roadster, cabriolet and touring bodies; finishing and painting. The Clayton Co., 427 West 42d.

Automobile Storage.

DEAD STORAGE AUTOMOBILES, $6 monthly and up; steam heated building. 310 West 143d. Phone Audubon 0504.

Loans on Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS can secure loans on cars while being used or in storage; loans made immediately; strictly confidential. CIRCLE AUTO FINANCE CO., 250 WEST 57TH ST. PHONE CIRCLE 7374.

LOANS TO AUTO OWNERS. Car remains in your possession. STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. PEERLESS, 198 WEST 125th. Circle 5742.

LIBERAL automobile loans quickly arranged; your possession or storage; confidential. Circle 9040.

FOR SALE

Rate 65 cents an agate line.

HIGH GRAND FIVE TUBE NEUTRODYNE SETS. Radio engineer invites you to compare of several exceptionally clear-toned and selective five-tube neutrodyne sets, made from selected parts and carefully neutrodyned; will install if desired with all accessories at a saving to you; demonstrated evenings. Decatur 4738. 481 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

HIGH-CLASS German camera, collection of foreign stamps, pair of high-power Goerz binoculars; no reasonable offer refused. F. H. Amann, 273 West 17th St., New York City.

LAMPS, shades and imported novelties at 75% saving; manufacturer closing out showroom. Pearlite Studios, 33 Union Square West.

PRIVATE owner brought back from Germany old postage stamp album containing many rare stamps; also many loose ones; no dealers. Telephone South 4248.

Cats and Dogs.

POLICE dog puppies, eight weeks old; champion pedigree; one male, wolf-grey, $75; one female, black and tan, $40. Telephone Murray Hill 2145.

BOSTON puppy, pedigreed beauty; will make wonderful Christmas present. 61 West 70th.

Horses and Carriages.

PONY, basket cart and harness; very reasonable. For particulars, Mrs. J. B. Creamer, 60 East 80th. Butterfield 0298.

House Furnishings.

FOR SALE—Contents of a newly furnished 3-room apartment on Mosholu Av.; all furniture, rugs and draperies have been in use but two months. Phone for appointment, Olinville 2902, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday mornings.

FURNISHINGS of 3-room apartment, Riverside Drive; everything new and modern, specially suited for young married couple; lease optional; party leaving city. Phone mornings for appointment. Bradhurst 1902.

BREAKING UP, fine furnished apartment, few choice modern pieces furniture, would dispose of at a sacrifice. By appointment only, Riverside 2709. 314 West 93d St. Apt. 3C.

ORIENTAL RUGS, large 6x11 and 9x12, several runners and small-sized rugs to be sold at once very reasonably. Dealers excluded to call. 114 East 28th St., Room 502. Madison Square 3809.

CHOICE large, small Oriental rugs, 3 imperial Chinese; Steinway baby grand, mahogany; chest drawers, table, divan, easy chairs, spinet desk, chaise-longue, mirrors, double day bed, &c. 72½ Irving Pl. (E. 19th).

REED and willow furniture; special Christmas bargains; lowest prices; largest selection; single piece or sets. Long Beach Willow Co., 138 East 41st, near Lex. Av.

BEDROOMS (2), complete dining suite, living, mohair, reversible cushions, rugs, floor lamp; must sacrifice. 3,647 Broadway, Apartment 3B.

ANTIQUE lowboys, Duncan Fife chairs, tables, historical china, sandwich glassware; all week. Mork, 751 Fulton, Brooklyn. Prospect 0247.

ORIENTAL RUG, antique walnut bookcase, $35; floor lamp; bargains. Madison Square 8688.

OIL PAINTINGS, by well-known artist; private house. 173 Adelphi St., Brooklyn.

Jewelry.

RESPONSIBLE party sacrifice $600 diamond ring, nearly 2½ carats; flexible diamond bracelet, $850; diamond pendant and chain, $1,000; exceptional opportunity. T 1167 Times Harlem.

EXCEPTIONAL quality, strong, heavy, broad flexible bracelet, made specially to order; forty perfect diamonds; cost $1,100; must sacrifice, cheap; necessity. H. 639 Times Downtown.

EXCEPTIONALLY high quality, guaranteed absolutely perfect 2¼ carat solitaire; cost famous 5th Av. firm $3,500; must sacrifice; great bargain; rare chance. N 169 Times.

BEAUTIFUL diamond earring, 12 carats, owned by distinguished family, will sacrifice for little cash; fine opportunity for regal Christmas gift. Call Whitehall 5228.

FLEXIBLE diamond bracelet; elaborate design; also plain one, beatiful diamond flexible pendant; need cash. C 1004 Times Annex.

LADY'S solitaire diamond engagement ring, 2¼ carats; perfect; must sacrifice; big bargain; $475; appraise. B 1108 Times Harlem.

STEINWAY, Mason-Hamlin, Knabe, Schmoll, Newcomb-Kroch grands and uprights; Knabe concert grand; like new; prices low. Dolt, corner 157th St., Elton Av., Bronx.

36-INCH string Chinese jade and crystal; sacrifice $60. Rhinelander 0880.

Musical Instruments.

PIANO, Kranich & Bach baby grand, excellent tone, fine condition; leaving town; rare opportunity. Longacre 8160, Room 657.

PIANO, new baby grand mahogany, Queen Anne style; sacrifice owner death; Write for appointment, Richter, 2,822 Av. D, Brooklyn.

MASON-HAMLIN mahogany grand for rent, $15 monthly. Ashland 1740, office hours.

KNABE mahogany grand, Steinway rosewood grand, good as new, great bargain, $750; upright Steinways, $275-$175, Knabe, $325-$300-$175; Bohmer, $250-$150; Chickering, $150-$90, and 200 others from $50 to $100; all pianos fully guaranteed, time payment arranged. Piano Factory, 421 West 29th St., near 9th Av.

PHONOGRAPHS and Records—100,000 American 10 in. double sac records 15c., $1.50 doz.; 1,000 phonographs, originally $15, now $6; $25, now $7.50; $40, now $12; special discount to dealers; three year guarantee. WESTERN PHONOGRAPH CO., 253 Bowery.

WATCHES, highest grade; saving one-third. Room 405, 51 East 42d St.

Office Furniture and Fixtures.

BIG BARGAINS—Slightly used office furniture, oak or mahogany; desks, chairs, files, safes, leather furniture, typewriters, adding machines, multigraphs, addressographs, time clocks and safes. Nathan's, 648 Broadway (near Prince St.).

SAFE, cabinets, high quality, low price; also safes—in new and slightly used furniture; reduced prices on period design office suites. Charles Schachne, 43 John St., 71 Spring St. John 2022.

INVENTORY SALE. New mahogany desks, $38; steel filing cabinets, $18; Underwood typewriters, like new, $35; other furniture greatly reduced. American Desk, 322 West 59th. Columbus 3062.

MUST VACATE. SACRIFICE FIXTURES, ADDING MACHINES, STOCK BINS, DESKS AND SAFE. 231 WEST 54TH ST.

MAHOGANY letter files, Noiseless typewriter, card index files, rug 16x18, Moody's rating books, interest tables, &c.; no dealers. Room 1403, 46 Cedar St.

TODD'S protectograph (check writer) almost new; cost $65; sacrifice; reasonable offer. Bergen 296, 52 Atlantic St., Jersey City.

CHEAP; immediate removal roll flat top desk, $12; files, large counter, double desks; chairs; miscellaneous; office articles; quick action. 124 West 31st. Penn 6329.

SOME very attractive bargains in slightly used Woodstock typewriters. Woodstock Typewriter Company, 226 Broadway.

OFFICE FURNITURE of every description; will sacrifice; vacating warehouse. Dalick Bros., 490 Broadway and 73 Centre.

SAFE for sale. 1 East 42d, Room 46. Murray Hill 6991.

OFFICE partitions, counters, tables, stock bins, &c. R. J. Rendall & Co., 248 4th Av.

Typewriters.

UNDERWOODS, $3 DOWN. NOISELESS and REMINGTON PORTABLES. Gifts remembered for a life-time. Cash bargains, $15 up. Long's, 1,493 Broadway (624). Longacre Bldg., Room 916.

HIGHEST cash paid for office furniture in any quantity. Phone Stuyvesant 8002.

BLACK bearskin fur coat; will pay up to $20. Spring 4038.

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

DIAMONDS, PEARLS, gold, silver, platinum; also pledges bought. Estates appraised, purchased. ROBE & CO., 542 5th Av. (45th), Suite 62-64. Telephone Vanderbilt 1022.

DIAMONDS, pawn tickets, jewelry bought; cash paid immediately; appraising free; confidential. Forgotston, 1,900 Broadway, N. E. Cor. 46th St.

BOUGHT for highest cash prices, contents of residences, apartments, hotels, pianos, works of art, books, bric-a-brac, carpets, rugs, &c. Jones, 161 E. 125th. Harlem 2787.

FURNITURE WANTED. Highest cash prices contents houses, apartments; pianos, rugs, works of art, &c. Henry, 115 University Pl. Stuyvesant 8577.

HAVE YOU DISCARDED APPAREL? We buy used gowns, dresses, furs, &c., and pay highest cash prices. Phone Bryant 4778. Representative will call.

WANTED—Fay full value contents apartments, house; pianos, books, paintings, bric-a-brac. Miller, 110 University Place, Stuyvesant 3788.

HIGHEST cash for furniture, contents houses, apartments; pianos, china, rugs, bronzes, &c. Poulson, 157 East 47th. Stuyvesant 10161.

DIAMONDS, gems, jewelry purchased from estates and individuals. Levinson, 1,472 Broadway (624). Longacre Bldg., Room 916.

HIGHEST cash paid for office furniture in any quantity. Phone Stuyvesant 8002.

Police Department.

Commissioner Enright issued this order yesterday:

Temporary Assignments.

PATROLMAN—George J. Scott, 22d Precinct to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, New York County, for 10 days, from Dec. 19.

POLICEWOMAN—Mary A. Sullivan, 236 Precinct to Detective Division, for 2 days, from Dec. 19.

Leaves Without Pay.

SERGEANTS—John J. De Martine, 78; Peter J. Polski, 105; John Boland, 89; for 1 day, from Dec. 25.

PATROLWOMEN—William Roche, 27th Precinct, for 1 day, from Dec. 22; Joseph V. Leonard, 91st Precinct, for 1 day, from Dec. 22.

PATROLMEN.

For 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 25.—Simon V. Smith, 72; Frederick Reichwein, 97; Louis Petersen, 102; Henry Frantz, 95; Walter Miller, 97; Henry Meyer, 112.

For 1 day, from 8 A. M., Dec. 25.—Thomas F. Ryan, 77; John W. Hilbert, 95; William T. Foerster, 97; Frank Kruger, 102; John J. Finnegan, 120; Eugene F. Silverman, 79; Stephen M. Downer, 97; William J. Regan, 101; John Alafberg Jr., 120.

For 1 day, from 4 P. M., Dec. 25.—Francis E. Loose, 70; Arthur Millon, 97; Wilson H. Maody, 97; Albert Portaveschia, 101; Clarence Weaver, 111; John A. Ulrich, 120; Edward R. Friel, 95; Martin Butcher, 97; William J. Gill, 101; James J. Kissane, 102; Frederick Schaub, 112; James V. Riordan, 120.

Pay on Sick Report Approved.

PATROLMEN—Charles F. Duffy, 1st Precinct, from Nov. 18 to Nov. 23; James Allen, 3d Precinct, from Nov. 4 to Nov. 7; John P. Wood, 5th Precinct, from Oct. 23 to Oct. 27; John F. Harper, 13th Precinct, from Nov. 2 to Nov. 6; John Conley, 13th Precinct, from Nov. 6 to Nov. 8; John J. De Sarlo, 20th Precinct, from Nov. 12 to Nov. 17; Charles Neinstedt, 28th Precinct, from Nov. 7 to Nov. 11; Aldrich H. Mack, 58d Precinct, from Nov. 17 to Nov. 21; Frank J. Scanlon, 63d Precinct, from Nov. 8 to Nov. 9; Martin J. Prendergast, 109th Precinct, from Nov. 13 during disability; John J. O'Hare, Traffic Precinct A, from Nov. 12 to Nov. 17; Kerry C. O'Connor, Traffic Precinct B, from Nov. 3 to Nov. 7; Michael C. O'Keefe, Traffic Precinct B, from Aug. 8 to Aug. 13; Robert E. Ferdon, Traffic Precinct B, from Nov. 6 to Nov. 9; Edwin V. Churchill, Motorcycle Squad 1, from Nov. 20 to Nov. 26; Michael Kelly, Motorcycle Squad 1, from Nov. 11 to Nov. 14.

Advancement to Grades.

PATROLMEN.

To $2,000 Grade—Jan. 14.

Daniel J. Davis	1	James J. Neville	105
Thos. V. McGrath	3	H. J. Stenson	111
C. J. Schiunsen	8	F.W. Bowman	Traf.A
James A. Curtin	21	R. Burke	Traf.A
F. J. Malone	21	M. Casey	Traf.A
M. H. Colleary	22	J.W. Cudmore	Traf.A
John Carey	23	W. Chernuck	Traf.A
Peter Heim	23	F. Curtis	Traf.A
Cornelius White	23	M. Gilhooly	Traf.A
J. J. McKeon	25	T. J. Murtha	Traf.A
Thos. McNamara	25	M. J. Kelly	Traf.B
John J. Ryan	25	D. O'Shea	Traf.B
John J. Mahon	25	E. Thfisdeau	Traf.B
James J. Fagan	51	A.J. Crosier	M.O.D.D.
Edw. J. Curran	67	D.J. Cashman	1stD.D.
Thos. Carroll	87	J. J. Dwyer	4thD.D.
Matthew Moran	90	C. Krum	M. Mot Cy. 1
F. P. Struckman	103		

To $2,040 Grade—John D. Cummings, Traf. B, Jan. 1.

To $1,940 Grade—Patrolwoman Lawon R. Bruce, 38, Jan. 1.

Fines Imposed.

PATROLMEN.

Raymond T. Cross, Headquarters Division, Sept. 24, while assigned to raided premises had hat and coat off—1 day.

William J. Burke, 4th Precinct, Sept. 6, failed to prevent, discover or report a burglary—5 days.

Charles W. Bailey, 5th Precinct, Oct. 22, absent from reserve—2 days; Oct. 2, absent from posts—1 day; Oct. 19, improper patrol—2 days.

William Swift, 28th Precinct, Oct. 27, failed to prevent, discover or report a burglary—2 days.

William J. Fowler, 26th Precinct, Oct. 20, improper patrol—3 days.

William J. Fowler, 26th Precinct, Oct. 29, absent from reserve duty—1 day.

Michael Karwasky, 28th Precinct, Oct. 22, failed to prevent, discover or report a burglary—2 days.

Daniel Eberle, 28th Precinct, Oct. 23, failed to prevent burglary—2 days.

Michael Lasby, 28th Precinct, Oct. 26, absent from reserve duty—2 days.

Walter Afard, 26th Precinct, Oct. 26, absent from reserve duty—2 days.

John J. Hardiman, 28th Precinct, Oct. 22, failed to prevent, discover or report burglary—2 days.

Adolph Westedt, 28th Precinct, Oct. 18, absent from registration place in hotel, seen in kitchen, blouse and cap off—1 day.

Hugh Gray Jr., 29th Precinct, Oct. 8, failed to signal—1 day.

Deaths Reported.

PATROLMEN.

Hugh J. Sherry, 80th Precinct, Dec. 16, 590 Bergen St., Brooklyn. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

Mortimer Ahearn, Precinct B, Dec. 18, at 100 West 77th St., Manhattan. Funeral from residence at 10 A. M., Dec. 21. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

Thomas F. Lynch, Headquarters Division, Dec. 18, at Flower Hospital, from natural causes. Funeral from 59 West 124th St., Manhattan, at 10 A. M., Dec. 21. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Flushing L. I.

Fire Department.

Chief John Kenlon issued this order yesterday:

Appointments and Assignments.

These as ununiformed firemen for a probationary three months, at $1,760 per annum—Harry P. Adams & Lt. & L. 1; George Schuppel, to H. & L. 4; Walter A. Schumacher, to H. & L. 20.

Band to Report.

Members of Department Band and Bugle and Drum Corps will report to Engineer John D. Schuber, at the Twelfth Regiment Armory, Columbus Av. and 62d St., Manhattan, at 10 A. M., Friday, Dec. 21, for practice.

Transfer.

Fireman 1st grade—Dominick Masiaca, Eng. 51, to Eng. 4, to take effect Dec. 20.

Miscellaneous.

Chiefs of battalion will direct company commanders to have daily inspections made of the large department stores. Inspections to be made at irregular times and from a fire standpoint. In case there is any collection of wawste material, rubbish, &c., a verbal order will be issued for an immediate removal, which is expected to be promptly complied with. Chiefs of Battalion will personally visit department stores within their district frequently and check up inspections made, which will continue from now until the first of next year.

Special leaves of absence are granted Fireman Daniel K. Tools, Eng. Co. 94, for 9 hours, from 9 A. M., Dec. 28; Fireman 1st grade David F. Connelly, Eng. Co. 71, for 9 hours, from 9 A. M., Dec. 20.

Army Orders and Assignments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The War Department published these orders today:

Coast Artillery Corps.

Wilson, Maj. W. P., is designated as Inspr. of Ord. on surplus, obsolete and damaged property at Frankford Ars., Phila., vice Maj. H. K. Rutherford, Ord. Dept., relieved.

Wolfe, Capt. S. E., to N. Y. and sail about April 14 for San Francisco, thence to Manila about May 5.

Lindner, Capt. C. H., to N. Y. and sail about May 17 for San Francisco, thence to Honolulu about June 3.

Rinearson, Capt. A. V. Jr., to Ft. Monroe.

Gray, 1st Lt. L. E., to Ft. Banks.

Infantry.

Green, Capt. J. P., to Ft. Warren.

Kelley, Capt. J. J., to 30th Div., Org. Res., Chicago.

Miner, 1st Lt. E. M., to 3d Div.

Miscellaneous.

McAndrews, Lt. Col. J. R., Cav., is retired.

Hoffman, Maj. W. L., M. C., to San Francisco and sail about May 5 for Manila.

Dillon, Capt. L. S., Engrs., to Univ. of Ala.

Hanses, Capt. F., Qm. D., to Douglas, Ariz.

Wilson, 1st Lt. W. L., Ord. Dept., to Watertown Ars.

Leaves.

Danforth, Lt. Col. C. H., A. S., 1 mo. 15 days.

Hoffman, Maj. W. L., M. C., 1 mo.

Howe, Maj. J. W., Cav., 10 days' ext.

Presnell, Maj. J. F., M. C., 15 days.

Davis, Capt C. F., M. C., 3 mos.

Randolph, Capt. W. M., A. S., 2 mos.

McCollum, Capt. W. B., F. A., 2 mos. 2 days.

Rogers, Capt. F. G., F. A., 10 days.

DeFord, 1st Lt. E. H., A. S., 1 mo.

Kirksey, 1st Lt. G. A., S., 1 mo.

Drumm, 1st Lt. J. R., A. S., 3 mos.

National Guard Orders

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 19.—This National Guard order was bulletined in the office of the Adjutant General today:

Cadotte, Maj. Damase D., Judge Adv. Gen.'s Dept., will proceed to New York Thursday, Dec. 20, for the purpose of attending a meeting of Judge Advocates.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Bureau of Navigation published these orders today:

LIEUT. COMMANDER.

Krakow, C. C., to Navy Yd., Phila.

LIEUTENANTS.

Cole, M., retired, to home, relieved all active duty.

Goebel, G. A., to Destr. Squads., Bat. Flt.

Harrill, W. K., to Aircraft Hdqrs., Bat. Flt.

Pennoyer, R. B., to U. S.

Carroll, W. C., to the Kittery.

Thompson, L. W., to duty in chg. Navy Freight Office, San Pedro, Cal.

Stevens, L. C., to temp. duty under instrn., Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola.

Reserve Corps Orders.

Second Corps Area.

At headquarters, Second Corps Area, Governors Island, these orders were made known yesterday:

Assignments and attachments of Reserve Officers were as follows:

Corps Army and G. H. Q. Group.

ASSIGNED.

To IV. Army Ordn. Service, 3894 Ordn. Co. (Maint.)—2d Lt. Harold A. Bull, Ordn.-O. R. C.

To First Army Trains, Motor Trans. Command No. 376—Capt. Milton J. Bryan, Q. M.-O. R. C.

To G. H. Q. Reserves, 490th Field Art.—2d Lt. John G. Stubbard, F. A.-O. R. C.; 490th Field Art.—2d Lt. Aaron L. Karrel, F. A.-O. R. C.; 569th Field Art., 1st Lt. Carl F. Dowell, F. A.-O. R. C.; 570th Field Art.—Capt. Asabel S. Dillon, F. A.-O. R. C., and 2d Lts. Richard D. Donoghue, F. A.-O. R. C., and Curtiss K. Thompson, F. A.-O. R.; 3934 Ordn. Co. (Maint.), 2d Lt. William E. Ghent, Ordn.-O. R. C.

ATTACHED.

To Hdqrs. XII. Corps, Mil. Intell. attached list—Capt. Arthur McKeogh, M. I.-O. R. C.; Mil. Police attached list—Capt. Joseph L. Kania, M. P.-O. R. C.

78th Division.

ATTACHED.

1st Lt. John T. Hubbard and 2d Lts. John C. Hay, Odell R. Cunneen, Joseph O. Palmquist, John C. Kelly.

98th Division.

ASSIGNED.

To 83rst Inf.—1st Lt. Edward J. Lowry, Inf.-O. R. C.; 392d Inf.—1st Lt. Thomas Flanagan, Inf.-O. R. C.

To 173d Field Art., Brig. Hdqrs.—1st Lt. Voyle Smith, F. A.-O. R. C.

ATTACHED.

To Headquarters—Maj. Franklin A. Loomis, Inf.-O. R. C.; 2d Lt. William H. Hazard Jr., F. A.-O. R. C.; 2d Lt. Hugh A. Thomas, F. A.-O. R. C.; Chap. Walter B. Hilton, 1st Lt.-O. R. C.

Second Coast Artillery.

ASSIGNED.

To G. H. Q. Art. Res. Delaware Regt.—Capt. Leslie V. Jefferis, C.A.-O.R.C

ATTACHED.

To G. H. Q. Art. Res., Sandy Hook Regt.—1st Lt. John P. Brennan, Med.-O.R.C.

To Fourth Army, 503d C. A. C. Art.—Chap. George A. Crimmen, 1st Lt.-O.R.C.

61st Cavalry Division.

ASSIGNED.

To 302d Cav.—1st Lt. William H. Symington, Cav.-O.R.C.; 306d Cav.—2d Lt. Francis M. Bacon, 2d, Cav.-O.R.C.; 304th Cav.—2d Lt. Abbott Treadwell Jr., Cav.-O.R.C.

Miscellaneous.

Capt. Roy Boardman Thompson, Inf.-O.R.C., O.-141864, is ordered to active duty for fifteen days' training, from Dec. 8 to Dec. 22, and upon completion, to active duty for two months and fifteen days training, Dec. 23 to March 5, at Fort Benning, Ga.

Maj. Lester R. Walton, Q.M.-O.R.C., Branch Assignment Group, is attached to Hqrs. 78th Div., for training purposes only.

1st Lt. George W. Young, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 311th Inf., 78th Div.; transferred to A. G., O. R. C.

1st Lt. Albert G. Thomas, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 391st Inf., 98th Div.; moved out of corps area.

Capt. Wesley C. Miller, Sig. O. R. C., to Hq. 77th Div.; promoted to Major and placed in B. A. Group.

2d Lt. James V. Coyle, Inf. O. R. C., to Hqs. 77th Div.; transferred to A. G., O. R. C.

Maj. George U. Pope, Q. M. O. R. C., promoted to Lt. Col.; is assigned to Hdqrs. 1st Army Trains, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

Maj. Warren B. Bullock, Q. M. O. R. C., to Motor Transp. Command 376; is assigned to the 1st Serv. Bn. (Q. M. C.), 2d Corps Special Troops, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

Capt. Ferdinand D. Sanford and Capt. Ralph J. Sprague, Hdqrs., 77th Div.; assigned to 306th Inf., 77th Div.

1st Lt. Claude J. Sherwood, Inf. O. R. C., to the 306th Inf., 77th Div.; is attached to Hq. 77th Div.

Maj. Winfield W. Robinson, M. P. O. R. C., to Hq. 12th Corps Area, A. and G. H. Q. Group; is attached to Hq. 51st Cav. Div.

Chap. George P. Jung, 1st Lt. O. R. C., 522d (A. A.) Arty., 2d Coast Art. Dist., is attached to the 78th (A. A.) Arty., G. H. Q. Arty. Res., 2d Coast Arty. Dist.

2d Lt. Harry Slovik, M. A. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 302d Med. Regt., 77th Div.; transferred to A. G., O. R. C.

2d Lt. Milton F. Boneberg, F. A. O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq. 98th Div.; transferred to C. A. C., O. R. C.

2d Lt. Avery W. Walker, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq. 98th Div.; transferred to C. A. C., O. R. C.

1st Lt. William E. Cooper, C. A. C., O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 51st (A. A.) Arty., 2d Coast Arty. Dist.; moved out of corps area.

1st Lt. Wilfred T. Doherty, Cav. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 302d Cav., 61st Cav. Div.; moved out of corps area.

2d Lt. Ernest Young, A. S. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 332d Svce. Sq., 4th Army, C. A and G. H. Q. Group; moved out of corps area.

Capt. William V. Levy, Med. O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to the 438th Eng. Bn. (Aux.), C. A. and G. H. Q. Group; moved to Panama Dept.

2d Lt. Herbert L. Bernholts, F. A. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 586th F. Arty., C. A. and G. H. Q. Group; moved out of corps area.

1st Lt. Carroll F. Sullivan, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 308th Inf., 77th Div.; moved out of corps area.

2d Lt. Arthur B. Conrad, A. S. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 303d Obs. Sq., 78th Div.; moved out of corps area.

Maj. Joseph C. Clark, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq. 98th Div.; moved to Panama Dept.

2d Lt. Langdon W. Post, F. A. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 570th F. Arty., C. A. and G. H. Q. Group; moved out of corps area.

1st Lt. Charles J. Saunders, Inf. O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the Inf., 98th Div.; moved to 7th Div. Area.

1st Lt. Walter F. Wirth, Sig. O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq., 18th Corps, Signal Attached List; moved to Panama Dept.

1st Lt. Walter Weiler, Med. O. R. C., 303d Med Regt., 78th Div., is assigned to the 302d Med. Regt., 77th Div.

2d Lt. Lawrence D. Chellis, Ord., O. R. C., to Hq. G. H. Q. Ord. Attached List, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 511th Ord. Co. (Hvy. Maint.) II. Corps Special Troops, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

2d Lt. Bernard Lewis, Ord., O. R. C., Hq. XII. Corps, Ord. Attached List, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 511th Ord. Co. (Hvy. Maint.) II. Corps Special Troops, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

Capt. John F. McPherson, A. S., O. R. C., Hq. XII. Corps, Air Service Attached List, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 419th Airdrome Co., G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

1st Lt. Francis E. Adams, A. S., O. R. C., Hq. XII. Corps, Air Service Attached List, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 376th Airship Co., G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

1st Lt. Frederic G. Ritz, A. S., O. R. C., 82d Divsnn. Section, G. H. Q., C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 249th Balloon Service Co., G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

1st Lt. Glenn A. Paulsen, A. S., O. R. C., Hq. XII. Corps Air Service Attached List, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 382d Communication Section, G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

2d Lt. Albert H. Hedden, A. S., O. R. C., Hq. 82d Balloon Group, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 472d Photo Section, G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

2d Lt. Carl E. Dahlgren, A. S., O. R. C., 249th Balloon Service Co., G. H. Q., C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 517th Hq. Squad., G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

Capt. William E. Nieman, A. S., O. R. C., Hq. G. H. Q. Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group, is assigned to the 305th Balloon Co., XII. Corps, Air Service, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

1st Lt. G

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—Pressure was high Wednesday night east of the Mississippi River and low over the western half of the country, except the North Pacific States, with centres of minimum pressure over Arizona and Manitoba. This pressure distribution has been attended with local rains within the last twenty-four hours in the South Atlantic and Gulf States, the Mississippi, lower Ohio and lower Missouri Valleys, Arkansas, the southern Plain States, California and Southern Arizona and with local snows in Nevada, Utah and Northern Arizona.

The weather became warmer Wednesday in the Atlantic States, the Ohio Valley and the lake region, while somewhat lower temperatures prevailed in the Southern Plateau region and the Far Northwest.

There will be much cloudiness with occasional rains Thursday and Friday in the States east of the Mississippi River, except in the North Atlantic States, where rain is not probable until Thursday night.

The temperature will continue to rise Thursday in the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States and the lower lake region, and mild temperature will continue throughout the Washington Forecast District on Friday.

COUNTRY-WIDE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Observations at United States Weather Bureau stations during the twenty-four hours preceding 8 P. M. yesterday:

Station.	Temperature. High.	Low.	Barom-eter.	Rain-fall.	Weather.
Abilene	60	34	29.96	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Albany	40	18	30.36	..	Clear
Atlanta	48	46	30.36	.04	Cloudy
Atlantic City	46	30	30.46	..	Clear
Baltimore	50	32	30.46	..	Clear
Bismarck	30	14	29.86	..	Clear
Boston	40	22	30.42	..	Clear
Buffalo	42	30	30.30	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Charleston	62	52	30.24	.02	Rain
Chicago	50	42	30.12	.02	Cloudy
Cincinnati	54	44	30.28	..	Rain
Cleveland	50	36	30.30	..	Cloudy
Denver	46	32	30.54	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Detroit	46	34	30.34	..	Cloudy
Galveston	64	56	30.04	.10	Cloudy
Helena	38	32	29.98	..	Clear
Jacksonville	70	58	30.20	..	Cloudy
Kansas City	48	40	29.90	.08	Cloudy
Los Angeles	63	52	29.82	..	Pt. cl'dy
Milwaukee	44	40	30.10	.01	Cloudy
Minneapolis					
St. Paul	32	26	29.90	..	Rain
New Orleans	72	54	30.14	.16	Cloudy
New York	48	30	30.42	..	Clear
Oklahoma	54	42	29.90	..	Clear
Philadelphia	48	32	30.46	..	Clear
Pittsburgh	52	32	30.38	..	Clear
Portland, Me.	32	14	30.44	..	Clear
Portland, Ore.	42	38	30.12	..	Cloudy
Salt Lake City	36	20	29.98	.06	Snow
San Antonio	64	46	30.02	..	Clear
San Diego	60	54	29.90	.10	Pt. Cl'dy
San Francisco	54	46	30.00	..	Clear
Seattle	42	36	30.10	..	Cloudy
St. Louis	54	46	30.06	.12	Cloudy
Washington	52	36	30.44	..	Clear

Northern New England—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Thursday. Friday rain and warmer.

Southern New England—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Thursday, followed by rain Thursday night or Friday.

Eastern New York—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Thursday, followed by rain Thursday night and Friday.

Western Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware—Increasing cloudiness and warmer, followed by rain Thursday afternoon or night and Friday.

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Occasional rains Thursday and Friday; mild temperature.

Western New York—Occasional rains Thursday and Friday; warmer Thursday.

NEW YORK CITY WEATHER RECORDS.
Official Temperatures.

8 AM.	31	12 M.	42	6 PM.	44
9 AM.	31	1 PM.	43	7 PM.	42
10 AM.	32	2 PM.	44	8 PM.	42
11 AM.	34	3 PM.	43	9 PM.	41
12 M.	36	4 PM.	45	10 PM.	41
1 AM.	39	5 PM.	44		

Average temperature yesterday, 38.
Average same date last year, 19.
Average same date for 46 years, 34.

Barometer, 30.56 at 8 A. M.; 30.45 at 8 P. M.

Humidity, 49 at 8 A. M.; 64 at 8 P. M. Wind at 8 A. M., south, velocity 5 miles; at 8 P. M., southwest, velocity 17 miles.

Weather, clear at 8 A. M.; clear at 8 P. M.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Forecast:

North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Extreme Northwestern Florida, Alabama and Mississippi—Occasional rains Thursday and Friday; mild temperature.

Florida—Unsettled Thursday and Friday, probably light local rains; mild temperature.

Tennessee, Kentucky and Ohio—Occasional rains Thursday and Friday; mild temperature.

Illinois, Indiana and Lower Michigan—Rain Thursday and probably Friday; not much change in temperature.

Upper Michigan—Rain Thursday; Friday rain or snow and colder.

Wisconsin—Rain Thursday and probably Friday; colder Friday.

Missouri—Rain Thursday and probably Friday; colder Friday.

Iowa—Rain Thursday; Friday unsettled, colder, rain or snow.

Minnesota—Unsettled Thursday and Friday; rain east and south Thursday; colder Friday.

North Dakota—Overcast Thursday and Friday, colder Thursday.

South Dakota—Cloudy Thursday and Friday, rain or snow south Thursday, colder Friday.

Nebraska—Rain or snow probably Thursday or Friday; colder by Thursday night.

Kansas—Rain probably Thursday and Friday night, slightly colder Thursday night.

Montana—Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday; not much change in temperature.

Wyoming—Mostly cloudy Thursday and Friday, probably snow south.

Eastern Texas—Mostly cloudy, mild temperature Thursday and Friday; local rains east.

Western Texas—Generally fair, warmer Thursday; Friday unsettled, local rains north and west.

Fire Record.

[illegible] W. 56 St.; R. Candina.....Loss.
1:05—100 W. 139 St.; Joseph Shannon.....Trifling
2:25—378 Amsterdam Av.; James Potter.....Not given
3:20—11 W. 19 St.; Rosenblum & Co.....Trifling
5:00—1,151 Newman Av., Bronx; James Fitzsimmons.....Trifling
8:15—363 Columbus Av.; Henry Moskowitz.....Trifling
9:25—1,571 2 Av.; not given.....Not given
9:40—2,349 W. 59 St.; J. Bisinar.....Trifling
9:50—51 Rutgers St.; Rubin.....Trifling
9:10—211 W. 36 St.; S. Jones.....Not given
9:30—467 E. Houston St., Joe Schaefer.....Not given
10:25—17 W. 16 St.; W. Rice.....Not given
11:10—51 Ann St.; Amuston & Co.....Not given
11:17—136 E. 115 St.; Pasquale Vegania.....Not given

P. M.
1:05—417 W. 26 St.; Copeland.....Trifling
2:15—114 W. 137 St.; Frieler Co.....Not given
2:15—494 W. 157 St.; not given.....Not given
4:40—2,529 7 Av.; not given.....Not given
5:00—68 W. 133 St.; Mrs. J. Briggs.....Not given
5:40—2,018 1 Av.; not given.....Not given
6:40—844 Madison Av.; Indian Refining Co.....Not given
6:25—147 Baxter St.; Dardsley Bros.....Not given
8:25—36 St. and North River; not given.....Not given
8:25—100 W. 26 St.; not given.....Not given
8:45—124 Greenwich St.; not given.....None
9:20—114 W. 56 St. (auto); J. McGill.....Not given
8:30—27 E. 4 St.; J. Block.....Not given
9:55—2,005 Lyon Av., the Bronx; McManus.....Not given
10:30—947 Amsterdam Av.; J. P. Wesley.....None

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of KNIGHTS FURNITURE CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 20th, 1923, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 1,889 Amsterdam Av., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of household furniture, fixtures, &c.

JACOB RUBINOFF, Trustee.
JOHN J. TOWNSEND, Referee in Bankruptcy, 299 Broadway.
JESSE S. RAPHAEL, Attorney for Trustee, 116 W. 39th St., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of WILLIAM COTOK, trading as UNITED TRIMMING AND NOTION CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 20th, 1923, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 352 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of trimmings, office furniture, &c.

CHARLES SHONGOOD, Custodian.
ARCHIBALD PALMER, Attorney for petitioning creditors, 320 Broadway, New York.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A. M.	P. M.	Governors Island. A. M.	P. M.	Hell Gate. A. M.	P. M.
High water	5:32	5:54	6:10	6:29	3:18	3:49
Low water		12:01	....	12:36	2:22	2:56

THE SUN.

	Rises. A. M.	Sets. P. M.
	7:15	4:21

Incoming Steamships Carrying Mail

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Diudie	Naples	Dec. 10
Yorck	Bremen	Dec. 7
President Adams	London	Dec. 8
Westphalia	Hamburg	Dec. 7
Zeeland	Antwerp	Nov. 6
Munargo	Nassau	Nov. 11
Chicago	Havre	Dec. 9
Baracoa	Kingston	Dec. 9

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Leviathan	Southampton	Dec. 15

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Santa Marta	Colon	Dec. 13
Kungsholm	Gothenburg	Dec. 8
Arcadian	Bermuda	Dec. 18
Fort Victoria	Bermuda	Dec. 18
President Roosevelt	Southampton	Dec. 14

DUE SUNDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Celtic	Liverpool	Dec. 15
Calamares	Port Limon	Dec. 15
Iroquois	Santo Domingo	Dec. 15
Nieuw Amsterdam	Rotterdam	Dec. 15

DUE MONDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Bayern	Hamburg	Dec. 8
Vandyck	Rio Janeiro	Dec. 7
Fayria	Naples	Dec. 6
Canopic	Bremen	Dec. 11
Martha Washington	Naples	Dec. 7
Esperanza	Havana	Dec. 10

DUE TUESDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Volendam	Rotterdam	Dec. 8
Ryndam	Rotterdam	Dec. 8
Caronia	Liverpool	Dec. 8
Cedric	Liverpool	Dec. 8
Olympic	Cherbourg	Dec. 8
Minnekahda	Jacksonville	Dec. 18
Pocahontas	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Trahern	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tahoe	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tampa	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tenango	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tenaru	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tenino	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tenkiller	Norfolk	Dec. 18
Lake Tenmile	Norfolk	Dec. 18
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FIRM established 30 years, selling entire country, is about to engage in manufacture of several articles which they have been marketing for years for other manufacturers but are unable to fill orders on account of demand, seeks outside capital in the amount of $10,000; sound proposition that will stand investigation. W 856 Times Downtown.

PARTNER wanted for half interest in large confectionery and tea-room shop; well-established and profitable business in high-class section upper New York City; 10-year lease; capital desired, $5,000. Address W 898 Times.

$5,000 with or without services; prefer a man capable of opening up new territory for a large selling organization or can use a man with bookkeeping experience. B. M., 117 Times.

ESTABLISHED manufacturer of staple line dresses wants reliable party with $5,000 to $10,000, to expand the business; salesman preferred; exceptional opportunity. F 296 Times.

PARTNER with $10,000 to $20,000, in established pawnbroking business; good location; partner retiring owing to ill health; quick action; no triflers. G 160 Times.

GREAT opportunity for bright man who desires profitable business; must devote time with moderate investment. W 858 Times.

PARTNER wanted; automobile business; good going; own shop and building; $15,000 cash required. Inquire E. Chanin, 140 Rivington St.

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RETAILER will buy established men's clothing store. B 853 Times Downtown.

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Brokers.

WILL finance manufacturers for expansion; principals; no brokers. W. F., 217 Times.

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